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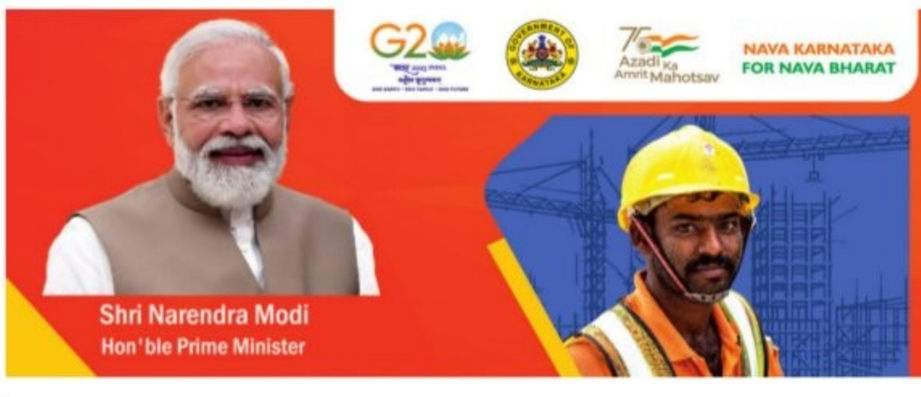
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NAVA KARNATAKA
FOR NAVA BHARAT
Many Steps for the Welfare of Labourers
• In 2022-23, more than 5,11,687 labourers registered as beneficiaries of the Karnataka Building And Other Construction Workers Welfare Board.
• During 2022-23, 26,25,335 beneficiaries have availed benefits worth Rs. 1,718.62 crore under various schemes.
• Upgrading ESI Hospitals at Hubballi and Davanagere from 50 to 100 beds and starting ESI Dispensaries at 19 new places.
• The board has taken steps to set up 100 hi-tech mobile health clinics for construction and related workers at cost of Rs. 129 crore.
• A revolutionary step has been taken to regularize the services of 11,333 Pourakarmikas under DBT.
Shri Narendra Modi
Hon'ble Prime Minister
Shri Basavaraj S. Bommai
Hon'ble Chief Minister
karnataka information

BRS workers uneasy after the arrest of Hyd bizman in liquor scam

IREDDY SRINIVAS REDDY
@Hyderabad

WITH the Enforcement Directorate (ED) on Tuesday arresting Hyderabad-based businessman and 'South Group' frontman Arun Ramachandra Pillai in connection with the Delhi excise policy scam, the cadre of the ruling Bharat Rashtra Samithi (BRS) are getting uneasy.

For, the ED alleged that Pillai was acting on behalf of Telangana Chief Minister K Chandrashekhar Rao's daughter and BRS MLC K Kavitha, when he managed to get excise tenders under the revamped Delhi liquor policy. He was allegedly involved in the tweaking of the excise policy at the formulation stage.

The ED claimed he was one of the beneficiaries of kickbacks, which he laundered subsequently. A special court allowed ED to interrogate him in its custody till March 13.

The ED alleged that Pillai had siphoned off ₹32.8 crore so far in the excise case and about ₹25.5 crore was "directly transferred" in his bank account.

The CBI had in December last recorded Kavitha's statement as a witness in the scam.

The ED had earlier alleged that Kavitha had destroyed evidence in mobile phones and claimed that she had taken part in several meetings with liquor barons in Delhi and Hyderabad. As for Pillai, the ED has already questioned him over a dozen times but found him non-cooperative so far.

For her part, Kavitha has denied any role in the scam and alleged it was a political witch-hunt.

BJP red-faced over graft accused MLA's revelry

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru/Davanagere

TUESDAY posed further embarrassment for the BJP over its graft-accused MLA from Channagiri in Davanagere district, Madal Virupakshappa, who after five days resurfaced when Karnataka High Court granted him ad-interim anticipatory bail, and returned to his constituency to a rousing welcome and celebrations by his followers. A red-faced BJP — which was already rattled by the Lokayukta raid in the run-up to the polls — warned him against such celebrations in the face of corruption charges likely to dent the party's image.

The Lokayukta raid on March 2 in Bengaluru found Rs 8 crore in the office of his son, Prashanth Madal, Chief Accounts Officer at Bangalore Water Supply & Sewerage Board (BWSSB). While anxieties over the impending impact of the corruption charge ran high, Virupakshappa anticipated his expulsion from the party while remaining defiant, claiming that the Rs 8 crore found by the Lokayukta police rightfully belonged to him. "The money seized by Lokayukta sleuths is accounted money and we are going to give proper evidence for all the money and are going to get it back from them," he told reporters at his Channakeshavapura residence in Channagiri. P4

1st woman IAF officer to head combat unit

MAYANK SINGH @New Delhi

TAKING a major step towards making it a gender-neutral force, the Indian Air Force on Tuesday selected Group Captain **Shaliza Dhami** to take over the command of a frontline combat unit facing Pakistan in the Western sector.

Group Captain (equivalent to Colonel in the Army) Dhami was commissioned in 2003 as a helicopter pilot and has logged over 2,800 hours of flying experience. She is the first qualified woman flying instructor in the IAF and has served as flight commander of a helicopter unit in the Western sector.

Dhami's selection highlights the IAF's efforts to provide women with more opportunities in combat and command roles. The IAF broke the glass ceiling by inducting three women officers — Avani Chaturvedi, Bhawana Kanth and Mohana Singh — into the fighter stream in July 2016. In 2018, flying officer Avani Chaturvedi became the first Indian woman pilot to fly a fighter aircraft solo by flying a MiG-21 Bison.

At present, a total of 1,875 women officers are serving in the IAF, which has opened all its branches, including the special forces unit Garud, for women. The female officers are working as weapons systems operators in Sukhoi fighters and are flying the special operations squadrons of the C-130j Hercules, C-17 strategic transport aircraft.

The IAF already has a few women commanding the static units, but they only have a supporting role and are not directly part of the combat zone. Group Captain Dhami will be in the operations area.

EXPRESS READ

NIA busts hawala ring of PFI, arrests five

Bengaluru/Mangaluru: The NIA has busted a multi-state hawala network of banned terror outfit PFI and arrested five hawala operators in last year's Phulwari Sharif, Bihar, PFI case | P5

CEC to visit B'luru to review poll readiness

Bengaluru: Ahead of Assembly polls, Chief Election Commissioner of India Rajiv Kumar along with other officials will be in Bengaluru for three days from March 9 to review poll preparations | P4

CBI questions Lalu in railway jobs scam

RAMASHANKAR @ Patna

THE CBI on Tuesday questioned RJD chief and former railway minister Lalu Prasad for nearly six hours in connection with the land-for-jobs scam case. The CBI interrogated Lalu at the New Delhi residence of his eldest daughter and Rajya Sabha MP Misa Bharti. According to the prosecution, those seeking railway jobs either gifted or sold land plots to the Lalu family when the RJD chief was the railway minister.

Sources said Lalu replied only to a few questions. Misa Bharti was also present during her father's questioning.

On Monday, the CBI had interrogated Lalu's wife and former Bihar CM Rabri Devi in the same case in which Misa Bharti is also an accused.

Lalu had returned to India on February 11 after his kidney transplant in Singapore. Lalu's second daughter Rohini Acharya, who is based in Singapore, accused the agency of 'harassing' her ailing father.

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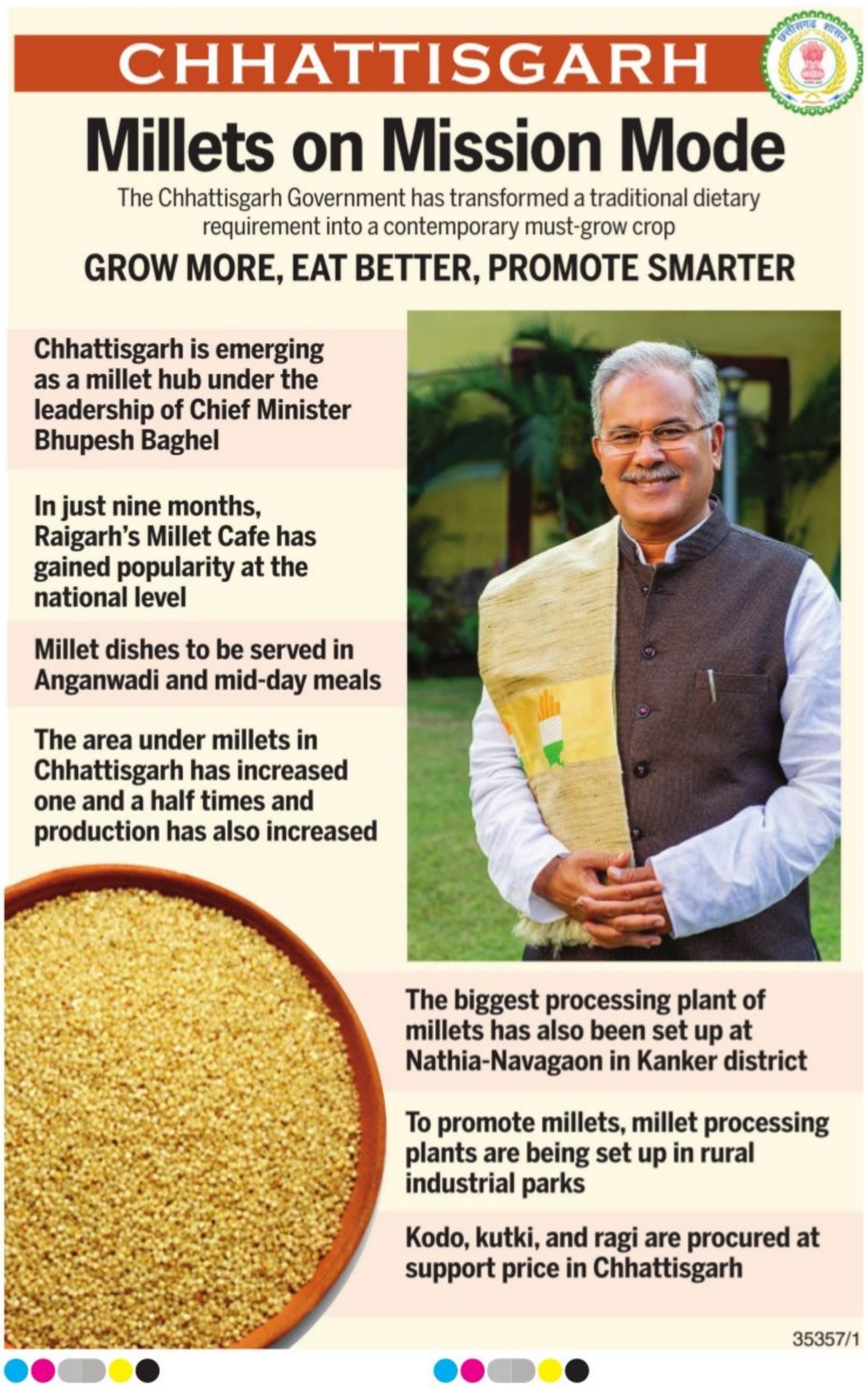
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Millets on Mission Mode
The Chhattisgarh Government has transformed a traditional dietary requirement into a contemporary must-grow crop
GROW MORE, EAT BETTER, PROMOTE SMARTER
Chhattisgarh is emerging as a millet hub under the leadership of Chief Minister Bhupesh Baghel
In just nine months, Raigarh's Millet Cafe has gained popularity at the national level
Millet dishes to be served in Anganwadi and mid-day meals
The area under millets in Chhattisgarh has increased one and a half times and production has also increased
The biggest processing plant of millets has also been set up at Nathia-Navagaon in Kanker district
To promote millets, millet processing plants are being set up in rural industrial parks
Kodo, kutki, and ragi are procured at support price in Chhattisgarh
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ALMANAC TODAY

• **Wednesday:** 08/03/2023 • **Year:** Shubhakruta • **Ayana:** Uttharayana • **Ritu:** Sishira • **Masa:** Phalguna • **Paksha:** Krishna • **Tithi:** Prathami 6.55 pm • **Nakshatra:** Uttharaphalguni 3.41 am • Moon in Kanya Rashi • **Rahukaala:** 12:00 pm to 01:30 pm • **Gulikakala:** 10:30 am to 12:00 pm • **Yamaganda:** 07:30 am to 09:00 am

WEATHER — MIN 17°C | MAX 31°C — **FORECAST** Broken clouds

Sunrise 6.31 am | Sunset 6.29 pm | Moonrise 7.16 pm | Moonset 7.03 am

Marching in step: Women Agniveers begin training in B'luru

The recruits, aged 18-23, will undergo a 31-week intensive training programme

The first batch of women Agniveer recruits wield rifles as part of their training, at the Corps of Military Police Centre in Bengaluru on Tuesday | SHASHIDHAR BYRAPPA

DONNA EVA @Bengaluru

AHEAD of International Women's Day, the first batch of 100 women Agniveer recruits have just begun training at the Corps of Military Police (CMP) Centre in Bengaluru.

Beginning training from March 1, the Agniveer recruits have reportedly been increasingly enthusiastic, already being able to disassemble INSAS rifles and complete obstacle courses. "Their response has been incredibly overwhelming. They are highly motivated and high-spirited. Every one of them wants to be a part of the 25 per cent permanent cadre. They are all competitive, and also very high-spirited," Major Valentina D'Mello, an Electronics and Mechanical Engineers (EME) officer and training officer for the female Agniveer recruits, told *TNIE*.

The women recruits are part of the second batch of Agniveer recruits to begin training at the CMP Centre. Currently, there are over 350 Agniveer recruits training at the centre -- the first batch of all male recruits is currently in their tenth week of training, the second batch consists of 100 female and 140 male recruits, who began training on March 1.

The recruits, aged between 18 and 23, will undergo a 31-week intensive training and emerge as Agniveers working as part of the CMP. "Daily duties will be akin to the role of the military police. They will be handling discipline of the cantonment, specifically law and order situations. For the women Agniveers, they will also have specific tasks of frisking of women, as well as handling offences against women and children," said Major D'Mello.

Speaking to TNIE, one of the Agniveer recruits, M P Preethi (22), said that to be able to serve her nation was like a religion. "I feel very proud that I have received the opportunity to serve my country. To be able to serve the nation is like a religion by itself. It doesn't matter if it's for four years or for 24 years. My family is my primary motivation and I'm very thankful for them, especially my big brother. Though he wasn't recruited in the Indian Army, he inspired and motivated me to join," she said.

"Under the Agniveer scheme, we have to complete the training in a compressed timeframe. The primary focus will be on physical conditioning, weapons training, handling of small arms and other operational aspects of the military police," said CMP Commandant Brigadier Jose Abraham.

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WOMEN CAN RIDE FREE ON BMTC BUSES TODAY

Women can travel in all BMTC buses, including the air-conditioned Vajra and Vayu Vajra services, on Wednesday. BMTC has also offered free travel for all PUC students on the dates of their examination. After dilly-dallying, the state government has accepted BMTC's proposal to offer free travel to women on Internation Women's Day. It must be noted that the BMTC sent a proposal to the Transport Secretary on March 3, which listed the benefits of offering free travel for women and how it will improve the image of the transport corporation, improve ridership of women and empower them. On Monday, the government approved to the free travel that is expected to cost Rs 8.17 crore as estimated by BMTC. It is expected that nearly 20 lakh women will make use of the free travel offer. Meanwhile, PUC students can show their admission tickets and travel freely on the day of their examination during March 9-29.

BREATHLESS CITY

Bengaluru, Hyderabad saw worst pollution last winter

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RESEARCHERS from the Centre for Science and Environment (CSE) reported that all mega cities in India, irrespective of their locations in different geo-climatic zones, faced the challenge of worsening PM2.5 levels during the winter of 2022-23.

In the report, the team analysed five mega cities -- Delhi-NCR, Kolkata-Howrah, Mumbai, Hyderabad, Bengaluru and Chennai. It noted that Bengaluru and Hyderabad experienced the worst peak pollution this winter, compared with the past four years. The report stated that analysis was based on real-time particulate matter -- PM2.5 data – collated in the cities from October 1, 2022, to February 28, 2023.

As per the report on January 27, 2023, the daily PM2.5 level in Bengaluru hit 152 micrograms per metre cube (µg/m³) -- the highest 24-hour PM2.5 average recorded in the city since 2019.

According to the report, the average winter PM2.5 level in Delhi was 151µg/m³, in Kolkata- Howrah it was 84µg/m³, in Mumbai, it was 77 µg/m³, in Hyderabad, it was 59µg/m³ (just under the standard), in Bengaluru, it was 44 µg/m³ and Chennai it was 42 µg/m³ (both were under the 24-hour standard, but breached the annual standard for PM2.5.)

The report also stated: "Days with bad air quality occurred in clusters during the winter season in mega cities. The clustering of bad air days was longer in Delhi, Kolkata, Mumbai and Hyderabad, but of shorter duration in Bengaluru and Chennai."

"While Delhi's winter air quality hogs all the eyeballs, the rising winter air pollution in other mega cities, including Kolkata, Mumbai, Hyderabad, Bengaluru and Chennai, does not get adequate attention. While Delhi has bent its seasonal pollution curve, winter air pollution is high or on the rise in most other mega cities. These cities, located outside the northern plains, may have more favourable meteorological conditions to contain the peaking of pollution during winters, but their overall city average and levels across locations can cause very high exposure. This demands round-the-year action to control emissions in cities that are motorising and urbanising rapidly," said Anumita Roychowdhury, executive director-research and advocacy, CSE.

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Littering of cigarette butts may attract fines

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TO put an end to the unmindful disposal of cigarette butts that is taking a toll on the environment, the Karnataka State Pollution Control Board (KSPCB) is mulling to impose a fine on butt littering. The KSPCB called a meeting of stakeholders, including the health department, urban development department, BBMP, and tobacco manufacturers, to frame guidelines.

Against the backdrop of the Central Pollution Control Board (CPCB) releasing guidelines for the disposal of cigarette and beedi butts in November last year and the National Green Tribunal direction asking states to frame rules, a meeting notice has been sent out by the KSPCB Member Secretary on March 4.

Citing the key recommendations of the CPCB, the member secretary said that cigarette and beedi manufacturers should create awareness of the adverse impact of littering cigarette butts throughout their distributing channels with instructions for safe disposal to be clearly provided on each cigarette pack. "Disposal of cigarette butts shall either be through recycling or through end-of-life methods such as waste to energy or co-processing," the notice said.

The member secretary said that one of the key recommendations of CPCB is that littering of cigarette butts is to be strictly prohibited and provision for levying and enforcement of fines is to be made for littering of cigarette butts by the local authorities.

The meeting is scheduled to be held on March 15 at KSPCB.

For these two women, the glass ceiling is underground

S LALITHA @Bengaluru

WHILE Tunnel Boring Machines (TBMs) making a noisy breakthrough is commonplace now, what is not so common is women engineers overseeing them and making a silent breakthrough in this male bastion.

In a first for Bengaluru Metro since construction began in 2007, two women have been deployed 60 feet below ground at Dairy Circle, for the past 10 months. A Gowri (44), assistant executive engineer, and B V Madhu (39), assistant engineer, go underground every day to fulfil challenging and risky roles.

TNIE caught up with them at their work site and found them enthusiastic about their professional life. Mother of teenage sons, twins pursuing BE in Computer Science, Gowri had been associated with BMRCL since 2007 through its consultant, RITES Ltd. "My inspiration was our former Chief Tunnel Expert from Japan, Tezuka, who played a key role in the underground corridor of Phase-I," she said.

A Gowri and BV Madhu in a Metro tunnel, as part of their job which comes with a host of risks and challenges, in Bengaluru on Tuesday | NAGARAJA GADEKAL

A native of Tiruchirappalli and a civil engineering graduate, Gowri moved to Bengaluru after marriage. She had been seeking an opportunity to be posted underground and finally got consent in May 2022. "I am grateful to Chief Engineer Subrahmanya Gudge and Deputy Civil Engineer Raghavendra Shanbhag for giving us the opportunity," she said.

The job had more to do with mental strength than physical agility, she said. "It is possible for all women to achieve their dreams. Staying focused on your dream is most important," Gowri added. "My husband V Anand is completely supportive on the domestic front, there are days I have worked 12 hours at a stretch from 9am," she adds. In agreement is Shivamogga native Madhu, also a civil engineering graduate with an M.Tech in Construction Technology. She has two kids, aged 11 and 5, while her husband A Satyarnarayana is assistant professor in Ramanagara. Her support is aunt Prema Tilak, who has taken responsibility of her children.

Associated with BMRCL since 2009, she joined in September 2019. "The day I was posted here, I knew this field job was what I wanted to do all my life. My male colleagues are also very supportive."

"We check if the TBM is running smoothly. We check the cutters after every four or five rings for wear and tear," she said. Access to toilets underground is an issue so they use the restroom on the ground before descending to carry out checks which go on for an hour or two. "They are doing a commendable job. We will be happy to have more women working underground with passion and involvement," Shanbhag said.

GANDHI BAZAAR TRADERS FEAR LOSS OF SHOPS, STOP JCB DRIVE

ENS @Bengaluru

TRADERS are up in arms against the BBMP that wants to raze old shops in Gandhi Baazar to make way for a multilevel parking complex. The traders stopped the JCB drive on Monday, and demanded a written assurance from the BBMP commissioner that their shops will be reallotted.

Under its Smart City Project, BBMP is aiming to build a multilevel car park, with shops in the basement.

Gopinath, member of the Gandhi Bazaar Traders' Association, said that BBMP had transferred the project to Bangalore Smart City Limited (BSCL) and JCB machines had razed the walls of two shops on Monday.

"We reached out to the joint commissioner's office to express our concern. We gathered in large numbers and stopped the drive. The officials said they would give us a letter of assurance on allotment of shops from the BBMP executive engineer, once the project is complete, but our demand is that the letter should either come from the BBMP chief commissioner or South Zone joint commissioner," he said.

Bengaluru Smart City Limited officials said the Palike had served an eviction notice to 37 shops earlier, as the market is in a dilapidated condition and needs immediate intervention. "Under the BSCL project, a multilevel project will come up and 180 cars can be parked. The project will also have shops at the basement level, and 47 shops will be built at a cost of Rs 20 crore," an official said.

The traders fear that once the project is complete, they will not get the shops as BBMP may opt for a tender process.

However, BBMP officials stated many traders had not paid rent for decades, and feared a crackdown by BBMP.

Daily Starscope

PETER VIDAL

08TH March : Is crime related to the stars? Perhaps! I am very interested in research which indicates that the police receive more emergency calls around the time of the Full Moon. But does that really mean that more people commit crimes at this time of the month? Or is it that more people report them? All I can say is that more research is needed but, until then, we should take care when the Moon is at its brightest.

ARIES (Mar 21 - Apr. 20)
It seems that you are better at giving advice than receiving it, but don't be surprised if people at home answer back. In love, romantic hopes are tied to domestic aspirations, which is in general a thoroughly good thing! An older relation might need a helping hand, by the way, so be ready.

TAURUS (Apr. 21 - May 21)
You are set to gain emotionally and financially. This is not the moment to turn the tables on people who have got the better of you, but it is a fine point at which to stop and consider what can be done when your chance comes. As I'm sure you understand, there's no need to rush, and every advantage in moving at your own careful pace.

GEMINI (May 22 - June 21)
A new partnership will bring great good fortune at home. First, though, you may have to face a little disappointment openly and courageously. Deal with this well and your eventual success will be all the greater. Plus, if you're ready to experiment with new social activities you might find that you really do enjoy yourself.

CANCER (June 22 - July 23)
You should always remember that you were born under an ambitious sign and have much to accomplish. The moment you forget this and begin to imagine that you are always a sweet and sensitive person, you'll miss major opportunities and your hopes will begin to unravel.

LEO (July 24 - Aug. 23)
You should always take the long-term view and make a point of broadening your horizons at every turn. It is time to take care of your own needs and aspirations, making it apparent to one and all that you are to be toyed with no longer. People who think otherwise may be in line for a shock.

VIRGO (Aug. 24 - Sept. 23)
It's all too easy to jump to conclusions. Have you considered the possibility that you have got someone all wrong? It may be that you have interpreted a partner's behaviour more in line with what you would like to be the case, rather than in terms of what is actually true.

LIBRA (Sept. 24 - Oct. 23)
You should be less inclined to worry about partners' and relations' behaviour, for you will only get yourself all steamed up, and still be unable to do anything about it! At work, you should concentrate on getting on with people, as you might need loyal allies in the future.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24 - Nov. 22)
It's a useful moment to consider your physical well-being, taking whatever decisions are necessary to get into shape with diet and exercise. There's no need to go to extremes - just be sensible. And while you're at it, pursue a new interest now, rather than putting it off for ever.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23 - Dec. 22)
Some of your basic qualities are strengthened today, especially your adventurousness and your willingness to experiment with new lifestyles and ideas. Don't be afraid to break out, just as long as you have taken whatever advice is essential to avoid failure and guarantee success.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 23 - Jan. 20)
There are sound reasons why this is not a good moment to finalise relationship matters unless you are one hundred and ten per cent certain. It is, however, a perfect period in which to open yourself to new partnerships and make new life-long friends.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 - Feb. 19)
Whatever praise or approval you now receive will surely be well-deserved, but never let flattery go to your head. Plus, you should watch out for creeping complacency. If you rest on your laurels for a moment, opportunity may begin to slip from your grasp.

PISCES (Feb. 20 - Mar 20)
Costs may be increasing, but that is of little significance at the moment. What is very much more important is that you make a bid for romantic happiness. In the final analysis it's all down to your ability to alter your perspective on one particular person.

Solutions to Yesterday's puzzle

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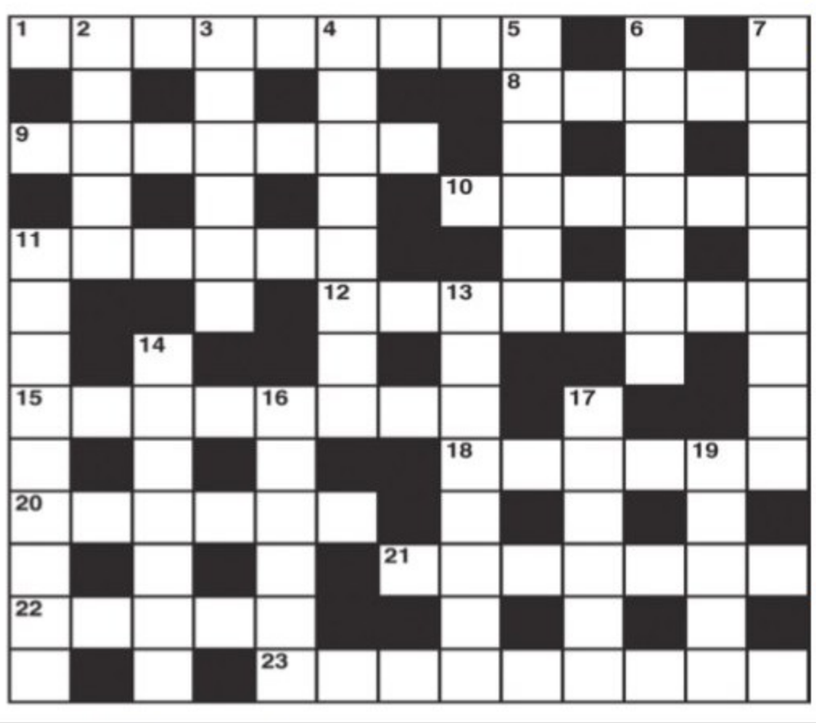

CROSS WORD

ACROSS

1 Rushing with indecent haste? (9)
8 Separate audition for a role (5)
9 Track celebrity's heavenly body (3,4)
10 I get in trouble but make light of the matter (6)
11 Fruit drinks very quietly brought in (6)
12 It can give rides to a space traveller (8)
15 Incorrect kit means trouble (8)
18 Round figure? (6)
20 Spot a cello that's discordant (6)
21 Endlessly longing for a headache cure (7)
22 Untie tricky knot (5)
23 To be blunt it's irrelevant (9)

DOWN

2 The capital gets poor return in this company (5)
3 Leases out canvas holders (6)
4 Sounds like a sleeping bag carried on the back (8)
5 Collection of silly creatures (6)
6 State building of topical style (7)
7 Turnup with a worker as escort (9)
11 Girl upset with a troubled soul - how irregular (9)
13 New sonnet about New York poet (8)
14 Possibly spy on fashionable medium (7)
16 As yet unalarmed? (6)
17 A grave commitment (6)
19 The first person an artist goes round and greets (5)

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTIONS

Across: 1 Express, 4 Adore, 7 Vain, 8 Dormouse, 10 Second hand, 12 Rustic, 13 Strand, 15 Phrenology, 18 On the dot, 19 Wind, 20 Fumes, 21 Michael.

Down: 1 Eaves, 2 Princess, 3 Soothe, 4 Ammunition, 5 Opus, 6 Emerald, 9 Enlightens, 11 Carolina, 12 Rake-off, 14 Deform, 16 Yodel, 17 Atom.

JUMBLE

UNSCRAMBLE THESE JUMBLES, ONE LETTER TO EACH SQUARE, TO FORM FOUR ORDINARY WORDS.

BY DAVID L. HOYT AND JEFF KNUREK

LIXEE

NIRDG

TRAWMH

GAADNE

Will we be able to hear it?
Did you put one in across the street?
I've been putting in a lot of these lately. They work great!
AFTER HEARING ABOUT THE RECENT BURGLARIES IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD, THEY ---
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Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon.

(Answers tomorrow)

Yesterday's Jumbles: COVET FLINT VERSUS HUMANE
Answer: When they debuted the new Ralph Lauren penny, they showed their -- FASHION "CENTS"

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Lokayukta police arrested Bharath Chauhan, assistant executive engineer of Bescom, on Tuesday after he was caught accepting a bribe of ₹28,000 to issue a power sanction certificate to the complainant, Shashishekhar, a resident of Nanjapura village of Anekal taluk

PIGEON POO A DANGER IN ASTHMA CAPITAL B'LURU

Lung infections, cases of hypersensitive pneumonitis on the rise, public awareness key

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WITH a growing pigeon population, health concerns associated with the birds are also on the rise. More so are cases of Hypersensitive Pneumonitis (HP) and other lung infections.

Ornithologists and urban planners term pigeons "pests" and admit that rising populations are a matter of concern for the city, which has lost its biodiversity and is also termed the 'asthma capital'. Pulmonologists report cases of lung infections and HP. "Compared to Mumbai, which has seen over 20 deaths because of HP, Bengaluru is not badly affected. But it is a matter of concern as the culture of feeding and rearing pigeons is also rising in Bengaluru," said Dr Sandeep HS, consultant pulmonologist, BGS Gleneagles Global Hospital, who previously worked in Mumbai.

Widespread public awareness is key to keeping HP at bay, he said. "On an average, 2-3 cases of HP are reported. While there are many causes for HP in the cases we treated, the patients were either pigeon feeders or were living in close proximity to pigeons," he said.

Dr Sandeep also clarified that exposure to pigeons and their droppings once or twice may not lead to HP, but prolonged exposure does. "If you are feeding pigeons regularly which come to your home, the droppings are in and around your home, and inhaling it regularly causes problems. Pigeon feeding should be stopped and avoiding exposure is the best treatment," he said.

Experts say there are no prescribed rules for handling pigeons, and a culture of feeding them prevails in many places. Doctors from the Indian Medical Association (IMA) Standing Committee for Anti-Microbial Resistance said a thorough investigation was being done on the cases reported. IMA officials said citizens must be cautious of large populations of pigeons around them, and that surroundings should be kept clean, especially where they leave droppings.

Dr Satyanarayan M, pulmonologist, Manipal Hospital, said with HP, cases of Psittacosis, caused by droppings of parrots, are also being reported.

But pigeon feeding groups in Bengaluru rubbish the claims as propaganda. Vasanthraj R, trustee of Sree Sankeshwara Parshwanath Jain Kaboota Dana Seva Samithi, said pigeons have been accepted as part of people's daily life, and some could be affected by their droppings, so hygiene must be maintained.

STAGES OF HP

HP can be divided into three stages

In the first two stages -- acute and subacute -- it is mild and can be treated with steroids

In the chronic (third) stage, damage to lungs is extreme and irreversible; a majority of patients report to doctors in the third stage

Make flu vax must & free for all: Docs

NAMRATA SINDWANI @ Bengaluru

DOCTORS suggest making influenza vaccines compulsory under the Universal Immunisation Programme, and free of cost to all. Since Influenza A cases are seen annually during transitioning weather, vaccines will help improve a person's immunity and reduce the number of cases in future, they said.

Dr Lakshmipathy from KC General Hospital said several people do not take influenza vaccines as they are expensive. A single dose costs Rs 800-1,000, and is to be taken every year. The patient burden in the OPD tends to rise, with cases of flu and influenza-like virus cases. Currently, the OPD records around 30 patients every day.

Dr Sheela Murali Chakravarthy, director, Internal Medicine, Fortis Hospital, Bannerghatta Road, said it is important to consider the influenza vaccine under the immunisation initiative as it helps control viruses easily, and reduces the burden of hospitalisation.

With the recent spike in seasonal flu cases, especially the H3N2 sub-variant influenza virus seen across India, state health department also released guidelines stating precautionary measures to reduce chances of the virus spreading on Monday. Dr Sharif, deputy director, National Vector Borne Disease Control Programme, said doctors can be the primary carriers of the virus, hence provisions are made to vaccinate all healthcare professionals free.

Health officials advised people to follow all protocols. Doctors also said it is not a worrisome situation.

Masks, PPE, flu vaccine must for health workers

To control the spread of H3N2 influenza, the health department issued an advisory for health officials, instructing all District Health Officers to ensure regular ILI and SARI surveillance is conducted, with appropriate sample collection for diagnosis. They are asked to ensure sufficient stock of all required doses of tablet Oseltamivir for treatment, and PPE for healthcare workers. The circular directs healthcare workers working in high-risk areas like ICUs to take the flu vaccine.

RANG BARSE

It was the day of colours on the streets of Bengaluru. A girl smears colour on another on Tuesday | VINOD KUMAR T

EXPRESS READ

Man held for assaulting wife with machete

Bengaluru: A 45-year-old woman was seriously injured when her husband attacked her with a machete over a domestic matter near Devanahalli on Monday. The victim Chandrakala, is a resident of Gobbaragunte village in Devanahalli taluk. Her husband Munikrishnappa was arrested on for attempt to murder. The couple used to quarrel frequently over trivial issues. Chandrakala left her husband a few months ago and was living with her children. She was working in a garment factory. "Munikrishnappa attacked her with a machete while she was returning home from work on Monday evening. She suffered deep wounds on her hands," the police said.

THE HEAT IS ON, STAY COOL

The health department has asked people to stay hydrated and avoid carbonated drinks loaded with sugar, to battle heat wave related illness. It requested people to consume lemonade, buttermilk, lassi and fruit juices with some salt to beat the heat, and issued a set of dos and dont's as Karnataka braces for a heat wave this summer.

DOs

- Stay indoors and hydrated
- Keep the home cool
- Use oral rehydration solutions (ORS)
- Eat seasonal fruits and vegetables that are high in water content, like watermelon, muskmelon, orange, grapes, pineapple, cucumber
- Consume tender coconut water
- Consume lemonade, buttermilk, lassi and fruit juices with some salt
- Watch out for symptoms of heat stress like dizziness, headache, rapid breathing, increased heartbeat etc
- Call 108/102 if a person has high body temperature, and is either unconscious, confused and stops sweating

DON'Ts

- Avoid tea, coffee and alcohol
- Avoid high-protein food
- Avoid venturing out in the sun between noon and 3pm
- Avoid strenuous activity outside in the afternoon
- Avoid cooking during peak summer hours

Mandaviya inaugurates 100th Jan Aushadi Kendra in B'luru South

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UNION Health Minister Dr Mansukh Manadaviya on Tuesday said the government's role is not only to improve a city''s infrastructure or drainage, but cater to the needs of the people. He said more Jan Aushadhi Kendras should be set up to provide affordable medicines to the underprivileged sections of society.

On Jan Aushadhi Diwas, celebrated on March 7, Dr Mandaviya inaugurated the 100th Jan Aushadhi Kendra of Bengaluru (South) and a free dialysis centre at the KSRTC Hospital. He said the aim of setting up a kendra is to give "Jan Aushadhi, Sasti Bhi, Uttam bhi" (affordable and quality medicines) to all. Until now, 9000 kendras have been set up across India.

Jan Aushadhi Kendras are in alignment with the Prime Minister's vision of providing affordable healthcare. The provisions are laid out in a way that any private or public entity can set up a Jan Aushadhi Kendra in their locality, he said.

Prices of medicines at Jan Aushadhi Kendras are cheaper by at least 50 per cent and in some cases 80-90 per cent when compared to the market prices of branded medicines, he said. Medicines for cancer, blood pressure, diabetes and several other ailments are available at affordable prices. People from all strata of society face health issues, but only the poor people face the burden. These affordable medicines are of much help to such people as they can avail quality medicines at affordable prices, he said.

CM Basavaraj Bommai said that much attention is now being given to health and education in Bengaluru and a special Bengaluru Health System is also being curated. He said efforts are being made to make healthcare accessible and affordable. Clinics are being inaugurated in all wards, 19 PHCs are being upgraded and four speciality hospitals are being constructed, he added.

Union Health Minister Dr Mansukh Mandaviya and Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai inaugurate the 100th Jan Aushadhi Kendra in Bengaluru (South) | VINOD KUMAR T

Modi hails city doc, son for recycling efforts

AKNISREE KARTHIK @ Bengaluru

PRIME Minister Narendra Modi has lauded a Bengaluru-based doctor and his son for recycling unused papers. The doctor tweeted a picture of unused sheets from notebooks to be bound and reused for rough work and other purposes. On March 5, Dr Deepak Krishnamurthy, who works as senior interventional cardiologist at Sakra World Hospital, tweeted, "Every academic year-end, my son diligently removes unused sheets from his notebooks and I get them bound. #ReduceRecycleReuse". Modi quote tweeted the post on Tuesday and followed Dr Deepak on Twitter.

In the quote tweet, Modi said, "A good team effort this, with a larger message of sustainable living. Compliments to your son and you. Would urge others as well to share similar efforts, which will create greater awareness on recycling and "waste to wealth."

"I did not expect my tweet to be quote tweeted by the PM. My son Aditya Avadani, who is in 10th standard, was equally shocked when I conveyed to him that the PM has acknowledged his recycling efforts," Dr Deepak told TNIE.

"My wife Varsha Raghuraman, a teacher at Deens Academy at Whitefield, helps my son and students at the school to reuse resources, he said. "Recycling was part of every middle-class family. Kids should develop this habit. If more people start doing this, it will make a big impact on environment," Dr Deepak said.

Copies made from recycled papers

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Azim Premji University claimed that students had been communicated before admission about shuttle fees. APU students have been protesting over the last few weeks, demanding that the fees be waived. While students have claimed that the university had not informed them, the university maintained they had 'clearly communicated' it to the students, and a majority of them have paid

Former CMs BS Yediyurappa and Jagadish Shettar address mediapersons in Kalaburagi district's Shahabad town | EXPRESS

ALL SITTING MLAs, BARRING 4-5, LIKELY TO GET TICKETS: BSY

Elections to be fought under Bommai's leadership, says ex-CM

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FORMER chief minister BS Yediyurappa said that most of the sitting MLAs will be given tickets, except for four or five of them.

The BJP Parliamentary Board member said that candidates will be selected based on their chances of winning, and the party will announce the list of candidates at an appropriate time.

Speaking about BJP's victory in the North East states, he said the results are a clear indication of the country's mood. The Vijay Sankalpa Yatra, which commenced from four different parts of the state, has elicited a tremendous response that shows that there is a wave in favour of BJP.

BJP will get 140 seats and form a government, he said.

Of 41 seats from Kalyana Karnataka region, comprising Bidar, Kalaburagi, Yadgir, Raichur, Koppal, Vijayanagara and Ballari districts, BJP will win at least 30 seats, he predicted. The Vijay Sankalpa Yatra, covering almost 224 Assembly constituencies, will conclude on March 20. A huge rally will be organised on March 25 in Davanagere, which is likely to be attended by Prime Minister Narendra Modi, he said.

Asked about BJP's chief ministerial candidate, Yediyurappa clarified that elections will be fought under the leadership of Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai, but the new legislators will choose their leader.

Hitting out at Congress Legislature Party leader Siddaramaiah for saying that state BJP does not have good leaders and needs to invite Modi and Union Home Minister Amit Shah repeatedly to the state to campaign, Yediyurappa said Siddaramaiah should think if Congress leader Rahul Gandhi can lead the nation efficiently.

He listed out the welfare schemes implemented by both central and state governments that have benefitted farmers, labourers and the masses.

However, when asked if BJP leaders Narayanaswamy and V Somanna are quitting BJP, Yediyurappa refused to comment, saying, "Whoever wants to quit BJP can do so. It will not affect the party."

Former chief minister Jagadish Shettar, Union Minister of State for Chemicals and Fertilisers Bhagwant Khuba and others were present.

Later, Yediyurappa and other leaders took part in a roadshow at Shahabad town of Kalaburagi district and proceeded to Yadgir district.

CEC on 3-day visit to B'luru to review poll readiness

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AHEAD of Assembly polls, Chief Election Commissioner of India Rajiv Kumar along with other officials from his office will be in Bengaluru for three days from March 9 to review poll preparations.

The delegation will have Election Commissioners, including Anup Chandra Pandey and Arun Goyal, and other deputy commissioners. They will meet officials from the chief electoral officer of Karnataka on day one to review poll preparations. Later, the team will interact with various political party members and get their suggestions.

Kumar will take part in an international seminar on inclusiveness and integrity on democracy at Taj Westend in Bengaluru. On day two, they will meet with 34 district election officers. Kumar will also take part in an awareness programme on election, organised by IISc and BBMP. A mega-exhibition has been organised on this occasion at IISc. They will also flag off an LED vehicle which is part of efforts to create awareness among voters. On the third day, Kumar will attend many meetings and meet the press.

Virupakshappa gets interim anticipatory bail from HC

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THE Karnataka High Court on Tuesday granted ad-interim anticipatory bail to Channagiri BJP MLA K Madal Virupakshappa. The Lokayukta police had registered a First Information Report (FIR) in a corruption case, in which the MLA is the prime accused. However, after the case was registered, his whereabouts remained unknown.

Justice K Natarajan granted the interim anticipatory bail, with the conditions that he shall surrender before the investigating office within 48 hours of the receipt of the copy of the order and he shall be released on a bail bond of Rs 5 lakh if arrested.

The court said Virupakshappa's interim anticipatory bail will be in force till the final disposal of the main petition and he shall cooperate with the investigation and shall not enter the office of the Karnataka Soaps and Detergents Limited (KSDL).

Virupakshappa resigned as chairman of KSDL and absconded after his son Prashanth Madal, who is the chief accounts officer at BWSSB, was caught red-handed while allegedly accepting a Rs 40 lakh bribe from an agency to favour a tender to supply chemical oil to KSDL.

Granting time to the Lokayukta police to submit the investigation report and their counsel to file the statement of objections, the hearing was adjourned to March 17, 2023.

The Lokayukta counsel argued that the bribe was paid as there was a demand by the petitioner and the investigating agency is yet to collect evidence. Granting interim anticipatory bail is equal to the main prayer of anticipatory bail and hence they require time to file a statement of objections, he argued while objecting to the anticipatory bail plea.

The counsel for the petitioner argued that except for naming the petitioner in the FIR, there is no demand for bribe and acceptance from the petitioner.

The Lokayukta police registered an FIR against Virupakshappa on March 2, 2023 under the provisions of the Prevention of Corruption Act.

Advocates association expresses concern

Members of the Advocates' Association, Bengaluru, wrote to Chief Justice of India DY Chandrachud on Tuesday, expressing a serious concern over granting interim anticipatory bail to Madal Virupakshappa.

BJP MLA K Madal Virupakshappa accorded a rousing reception on his arrival at Channagiri in Davanagere district on Tuesday | EXPRESS

Virupakshappa's interim anticipatory bail will be in force till the final disposal of the main petition and he shall cooperate with the investigation — Karnataka High Court

Cong: Govt protecting its 'tainted' MLA

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OPPOSITION Congress on Tuesday accused the state government of protecting BJP MLA Madal Virupakshappa, who is facing corruption charges, and reiterated its demand for CM Basavaraj Bommai's resignation on moral grounds.

The party has called for a bandh of markets for two hours from 9 am on Thursday to protest against the government. The party said it is a symbolic protest.

Former CM Siddaramaiah said that Rs 8 crore seized from the BJP MLA's residence proved 40 per cent commission charges against the state government. "The government is protecting the MLA. He should have been arrested immediately," he said and added that the CM should resign on moral grounds.

Siddaramaiah hit back at BJP leaders for accusing him of weakening the Lokayukta by constituting the ACB. The ACB was constituted after allegations of corruption in the Lokayukta at that time, he said and added that BJP which had claimed in its manifesto that it will abolish the ACB soon after coming to power did not do so even after being in power for three years.

KPCC president DK Shivakumar said after the Gujarat elections, BJP was in a hurry to conduct the elections in the state, but now they are busy calling for short-term tenders to mobilise funds. He said Congress is confident of winning 140 seats. Shivakumar dared Bommai to come for an open debate on the Congress' promise of 200-unit free power for all households if it comes to power.

Missing MLA

Earlier, Congress launched the "missing MLA" poster campaign by pasting posters with a photo of BJP MLA Madal Virupakshappa. The police acted against those pasting the posters. AICC General Secretary Randeep Singh Surjewala slammed the arrests.

CM mocks Cong for taking credit for expressway

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @Mysuru

CHIEF Minister Basavaraj Bommai took a jibe at opposition leader Siddaramaiah for taking credit for the 10-lane Bengaluru-Mysuru expressway, which is scheduled to be inaugurated by Prime Minister Narendra Modi on March 12.

Accusing Congress of making false promises by making big announcements ahead of the Assembly elections and misleading people, Bommai said that Congress cannot claim credit for the expressway by submitting a proposal for the new road which has been there for the last two decades.

Bommai also distributed certificates and benefits of various state and central government schemes at Maharaja's Ground, and said that BJP walks the talk unlike Congress who allures people.

CM Basavaraj Bommai hands over a cheque to a woman in Mysuru | UDAYASHANKAR S

However, he was not against CLP leader Siddaramaiah inspecting highway roads as thousands are using it. "Our government announced ST/SC reservation hike. Congress is making baseless allegations that it will never be implemented. We are doing what they have failed to do in the last four to five decades," said Bommai.

Modi has ensured that government schemes reach beneficiaries through DBT. "During the pandemic, Modi government launched the biggest vaccine drive, and during BS Yediyurappa's tenure as CM, the people of the state were also benefitted," he said.

District in-charge minister ST Somashekhar said, "We aim to provide Rs 24,000 crore loan to over 33 lakh farmers in the state, of which 3 lakh are new farmers." Mocking Congress for calling a bandh, Bommai said he was curious about the reason for the bandh when Congress is facing so many corruption cases. He cited Supreme Court verdict on bandhs, and said that it will not evoke good response as the PU examinations will start from March 9.

Asked about Rs 200 crore scam allegation against Siddaramaiah over spending on snacks, Bommai said he will look into the records and take a decision, if the charges are found to be true.

Asked about the rise in number of cases due to H2N3 virus, Bommai said the central government will come out with the guidelines soon. Everyone should wear masks, he said, adding that a high-level committee meeting will be held in Bengaluru.

'Will submit all accounts for probe'

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"THE money is from our large arecanut groves, arecanut mandi, stone crushers and other businesses that our family runs," he said.

He said all accounts would be submitted for investigation, and expressed confidence that he would come clean of the charges. He said although he had not received any notice from the Lokayukta sleuths, he would be appearing for the investigations within 48 hours.

Under the assumption that a decision to expel him from the party was already taken, Virupakshappa said he welcomed it and would rejoin the party after getting a clean chit.

But party sources said no such decision was taken, and it would be left to the party's central leaders to decide on expulsion as Virupakshappa is a sitting MLA.

BJP Davanagere district president Veeresh Hanagawadi said a decision to expel a member from the BJP's primary membership is taken by the BJP's disciplinary committee, which issues a proper notice for the accused's version. But that had not happened in this case. "He (Virupakshappa) might have given the reaction of being expelled as he is passing through a traumatic situation," Hanagawadi said.

Virupakshappa, who resigned as Chairman of Karnataka Soaps & Detergents Limited (KSDL) and remained incommunicado after his son Prashanth was caught red-handed while allegedly accepting a Rs 40 lakh bribe from an agency to favour a tender to supply chemical oil to KSDL, and had moved the court seeking anticipatory bail.

Zoo installs air coolers to keep primates comfy

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @Mysuru

AS the temperature is soaring with summer setting in, authorities of the 130-year-old Mysuru Zoo are trying hard to keep animals cool.

The zoo has installed air coolers in the enclosures of primates to protect them from the scorching heat. "As primates are sensitive, the coolers provide them relief during summer. The appliances are similar to those used at homes. We also provide them tender coconuts and fruits with more water content to prevent dehydration," Mysuru Zoo executive director Ajit M Kulkarni told The New Indian Express.

The zoo houses 1,455 animals, including 624 mammals, 731 birds and 100 reptiles. It has four Bornean orangutans (Minnie and Afa - Merlin and Atina), six chimpanzees and two Western Lowland gorillas (Thabo and Demba), which have been procured from various Malaysia, Germany and other countries.

Most difficult for the authorities is to maintain manageable conditions for animals kept in open enclosures. They have provided shelters and sprinklers for herbivores. For birds and reptiles, the authorities have arranged foggers and water sprinklers.

To keep big mammals like elephants, hippos and gaurs cool, the authorities have also created mud wallows where animals have mud baths and play during the hot summer, Kulkarni said.

The authorities said they change the diet that is suitable for summer. Fruits like watermelon, muskmelon and citrus are provided. Also, veterinarians keep a close watch on the health of the animals.

The authorities are taking no chances as the mercury will only go further north during peak summer months April and May.

Shivaji 'insulted', MES plans purification pooja

Belagavi: There seems to be no end to the controversy over the Shivaji Maharaj's statue atop Rajhunsgad Fort near Yellur, Belagavi. After a spat between BJP and Congress, now Maharashtra Ekikaran Samiti (MES) says Shivaji Maharaj has been insulted as his statue has been misused for political games. It needs 'Shuddhikaran' (purification), for which they have called a meeting on March 8. They have invited pro-Maharashtra leaders to attend the programme. Former MLA Manohar Kinekar of MES lamented that there has been an unnecessary controversy over the issue for the last few days. Inaugurating and re-inaugurating the statue is an insult to Shivaji Maharaj, they added. It was formally inaugurated by Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai on March 2, after Hebbalkar announced her plans to unveil the statue on March 5.

Half of voters are women, but not 'winnable' candidates: Parties

ASHWINI M SRIPAD @Bengaluru

WOMEN voters in Karnataka comprise almost half of the total electorate, but political parties are unlikely to give tickets to women candidates as they are not considered as "winnable".

This year, as per data from the Chief Electoral Officer of Karnataka, there are 5.05 crore voters -- 2.54 crore male and 2.50 crore female. The difference of 3.5 lakh between the two sections of voters is the lowest-ever in Karnataka.

In Mysuru, Kodagu, Dakshina Kannada, Shivamogga, Udupi and some North Karnataka districts, there are more women voters playing a vital role in deciding the winners. But parties are not interested in giving them tickets.

A Congress leader said this election is crucial and their party is looking for winnable candidates. "We cannot give tickets to women candidates and allow them to contest. We want a majority of our candidates to win. Unlike male candidates, it is difficult for them to fight," he said.

Interestingly, BJP has a similar contention. "We are not against women candidates, but everyone knows polls are not about good and clean candidates. We might give tickets to a few women, but cannot depend on them in polls. Fielding them would mean that they will lose in many places, which our leaders cannot afford," said BJP sources.

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CHIEF MINISTERS		WOMAN MINISTER
Basavaraj Bommai	(2021-present)	Shashikala Jolle
BS Yediyurappa	(2019-2021)	Shashikala Jolle
HD Kumaraswamy	(2018-2019)	Jayamala
Siddaramaiah	(2013-2018)	Umashree
Jagadish Shettar	(2012-13)	Shobha Karandlaje
DV Sadananda Gowda	(2011-2012)	Shobha Karandlaje
BS Yediyurappa	(2008-2011)	Shobha Karandlaje

Sources also said the representation of women in the Assembly is lesser compared to neighbouring states like Tamil Nadu, Andhra Pradesh and Kerala. The Karnataka Assembly has 10 women MLAs. Of them, five are from Congress, three BJP, one JDS and and another nominated. Most of them are family members of influential leaders in their parties. Karnataka has witnessed six to 10 women MLAs, whereas in 1957 and 1962 (the then Mysuru State), it had seen 13 and 18 women MLAs respectively, which is the highest.

Salim Ahmed, KPCC working president, said they will give tickets to a considerable number of women candidates. "We are preparing to release the first list of candidates of around 130 seats by March 15."

A 13-year-old girl was charred to death at Devarayanadurga reserve forest near here on Tuesday. Two others suffered severe burns. The deceased has been identified as Manasa. Manasa and her friends chose a narrow path to participate in the annual Rathotsava atop a hill in the forest. They got trapped in the forest fire midway

NIA nabs 5 hawala operators in Bihar PFI case

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru /Mangaluru

THE National Investigation Agency (NIA) has busted a multi-state hawala network of the banned terrorist organisation, Popular Front of India (PFI), and arrested five hawala operators in last year's Phulwari Sharif, Bihar, PFI case. Of the five arrested, four are from Dakshina Kannada and one from Kasargod in Kerala.

Those arrested from DK are Mahammad Sinan and Iqbal from Panemangalore, Sarfraz Nawaz from Sajipamuda, and Abdul Rafeek M from Puttur taluk, and Abid KM from Kunjathur in Kasaragod. "While tracking the funds being moved by the PFI across the country, the NIA probe into the Phulwari Sharif case have led to the unearthing of a large network of hawala operators in South India and their arrest from Karnataka," the NIA stated.

The NIA teams conducted extensive searches in Kasargod and DK since March 4, leading to the arrest of the five suspects. "Searches were conducted at eight locations during which digital devices and incriminating documents containing details of transactions running into several crores of rupees were seized," it said.

According to the agency, the leads in the investigation established the fact that despite the ban on PFI on September 27 last, "the terrorist organisation and its leaders/cadre continued to propagate the ideology of violent extremism and were also arranging arms and ammunition to commit crimes."

"Following the money trail, the NIA team reached Nawaz and Sinan, who had been making deposits in the bank accounts of the accused and suspects in the PFI case. Dogged pursuit of the money trail and connecting the dots, the NIA managed to unravel the international conspiracy and linkages to funds while investigating Iqbal and other associates, who had collected illegally generated funds from Dubai and Abu Dhabi and handed them over to Sinan, Nawaz, Rafeek and Abid in India. Investigations showed that Sarfaraz, Sinan and Rafeek deposited this money in different bank accounts of the accused and suspects," the NIA stated.

"The PFI cadre in Phulwari Sharif and Motihari had vowed to continue the organisation's activities in a clandestine manner in Bihar and had also arranged a firearm and ammunition to eliminate a youth from a particular community in Bihar's East Champaran district. Three operatives of the module were arrested on February 5," it said.

Before ban, PFI had big reach in K'taka

BALA CHAUHAN @ Bengaluru

THE PFI, before it was banned by the Centre on September 28, 2022, under the UAPA, reportedly had the largest and fastest growing cadre in Karnataka, in comparison with Kerala and Tamil Nadu, sources said.

The banned outfit was building its 'Service Teams' or killer squads in each district, with each team comprising 20-30 hardened members, who were trained to kill prominent members of the other community.

"Members of service teams were trained in weapons handling, attack, surveillance, identifying important members of the other community, killings of 'perceived enemies' and targets, who were largely from the RSS. They were assured of early bail by PFI leaders, following their arrest. The service team members were trained in Puttur," added sources. Last year, NIA had seized a community hall in Puttur, where arms and weapons training was being imparted to select members of the now banned outfit.

Not everyone can become a member of PFI's service team. "They were identified by local leaders and brought into the fold and later trained. Their identity was not disclosed to anyone, not even other PFI members. Once trained, these members were tasked to perform multiple duties; from working as escorts/drivers of the top PFI leadership, providing protection to the outer periphery of the organisation's rallies, to identifying targets and executing murders at the behest of top leaders," added sources.

To become a member of the service team, one had to be an ideologue to push for PFI's agenda of establishing Islamic rule in India by 2047. They had to be able-bodied and fit to handle machetes, knives and cleavers; were in the 20-35 age group, and most were semi-literate. PFI killings were identified by the cut, which was quick, precise and lethal, like a butcher's cut. "The PFI had studied the follies of the banned terrorist outfit -- Students Islamic Movement of India (SIMI) -- and taken all steps to prevent the organisation from being banned. The Nettaru case proved a catalyst for their ban," added sources.

"The PFI identified their targets based on their popularity and ease of operation. Along with Praveen Nettaru, they had identified three other targets to avenge the murder of Kalanja Masood. They found Nettaru an easy target because of the location of his shop in Bellare, where he was killed in full public view with lethal weapons," the NIA chargesheet mentioned.

The impact of the murder was huge. Following Nettaru's murder, BJP Yuva Morcha office-bearers from across the state tendered their resignations en masse. A group of ABVP activists held a protest at Home Minister Araga Jnanendra's residence in Bengaluru, demanding a ban on the PFI and its affiliates, and some BJP leaders attacked the government and party state president Nalin Kumar Kateel for their failure to protect party workers. The arrest of Thufail MH, the district head of PFI's 'Service Team' and former PFI district secretary, Kodagu, from his house in Amruthahalli in Bengaluru on March 4 by NIA, is a major breakthrough in the Nettaru case. The NIA is hot on the trail of two key absconders -- Mustafa Paichar and Kodaje Mohammed Sherif – in the sensational murder case. "They are leaders of the now defunct service teams and had identified key targets," said sources.

Besides Paichar and Sherif Masud KA, Abubakkar Siddik and Ummar Farook MR are also absconding. They have been charge-sheeted by the NIA.

Calves with their dead mother elephants, which were electrocuted in a farm in Kendenahalli village, Dharmapuri district, on Tuesday | EXPRESS

Three wild elephants electrocuted in TN farm

S SENTHIL KUMAR @ Coimbatore

THREE wild elephants, including two females and a Makhna elephant, were electrocuted at a farm at Kendenahalli village, near Kaaligounder kottai in Dharmapuri district on Monday night. Two elephant calves (both aged one) that also came along with the deceased elephants survived after the TANGEDCO officials disconnected power supply after being alerted by the Tamil Nadu forest department staff who were already monitoring animal movement.

The staff managed to reach the place only after hearing a loud noise due to electrocution. Due to the death of a mother elephant, the two calves who were unable to bear the shock were repeatedly approaching the carcass in an attempt to wake up their mother throughout the night.

This is the first time in recent history that three elephants died due to electrocution in a single incident in Tamil Nadu since three elephants at a time is a rare occurrence. During the investigation, it was found that out of five elephants that entered the farm owned by K Muregasan in search of water and food, three cow elephants were killed on the spot due to electrocution. The team led by Forest Range Officer of Palacode forest Natraj arrested Muregasan (50), who is cultivating maize, ragi and coconut on his 20-acre land, which has been illegally given power connection to protect it from wild boars.

EXPRESS READ

PM to open IIT-Dharwad campus on March 12

DHARWAD: Prime Minister Narendra Modi will inaugurate the new IIT campus in Dharwad on March 12, said Union Minister Pralhad Joshi during his visit to the campus on Tuesday. Joshi said Modi will land at Hubballi airport and then fly to the IIT campus at Mummigatti by helicopter. During his visit to Dharwad, Modi is scheduled to inaugurate 15 projects, including the longest railway platform at Sidharoodha Railway Station in Hubballi, Tuppari Halla Project, KIMS Hospital developmental work, Jal Jeevan Mission project, Smart City projects, Sports Complex and Hubballi-Hosapete railway electrification work and others. Flagging-off of all the projects will be done at the new IIT campus itself. Around two lakh people are expected to witness the event, for which preparations are under way on a war footing.

HOME ALONE COLLEGE GIRL ROBBED AT KNIFEPOINT

PRAVEEN KUMAR @Bengaluru

AN 18-year-old first year B. Com student was robbed at knife point by a three-member gang at her house on Bengaluru-Anekal road on Friday afternoon.

The victim, R Keerthana, was alone at home at Lakshmi Nagar Layout when two persons asked her open the door saying that they were looking for a person in the locality. When she was about to close the door after talking to them, the accused barged into the house and robbed her of gold ornaments after gagging and tying her up. Later, they searched the house and found gold and silver ornaments. Meanwhile, another person joined them. The trio then pushed her inside the bathroom and escaped after locking the front door from outside.

The victim, who managed to untie herself after sometime, screamed for help. Her neighbours, who rushed to her rescue, called the police.

The incident happened between 1 pm and 1.15 pm. In her complaint, Keerthana stated that the accused were wearing masks. They took away 40 gm of gold ornaments and other valuables worth Rs 2 lakh. They also took away her cell phone, leaving the SIM card behind.

"The accused did not harm my daughter. But she suffered minor injuries when they pushed her inside the bathroom. The accused spoke Kannada in north Karnataka accent. They were carrying college bags," Keerthana's father Ravindra Gowda said.

A case of robbery, extortion, trespass and criminal intimidation has been registered against the accused.

BANGALORE DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY
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Dr. K. Shivarama Karantha Layout, Bengaluru

Public Notification

Date: 07.03.2023

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ಡಾ॥ ಕೆ. ಶಿವರಾಮ ಕಾರಂತ ಬಡಾವಣೆ ರಚನೆಗಾಗಿ ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ನಗರ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆ, (ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ಉತ್ತರ ಅಪರ/ಯಲಹಂಕ) ..... ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು, ... ಹೋಬಳಿ ..... ಗ್ರಾಮದ ಈ ಕೆಳಕಂಡ ವಿಸ್ತೀರ್ಣದ ಜಮೀನಿಗೆ ಮಾನ್ಯ ಸರ್ವೋಚ್ಚ ನ್ಯಾಯಲಯದ ಆದೇಶ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ ಸಿವಿಲ್ ಅಫೀಲ್ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ 7661-7663/2018, ದಿನಾಂಕ : 03.08.2018, ಮಿಸಲೇನಿಯಸ್ ಅಪ್ಲಿಕೇಷನ್ ನಂ. 1614-1616/2019, 1346-1348/2019, ದಿನಾಂಕ : 03.12.2020ರ ಆದೇಶದಂತೆ ಹಾಗೂ ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ತಿದ್ದುಪಡಿ ಅಧಿಸೂಚನೆ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ ಯು.ಡಿ.ಡಿ/553/ಎಂ.ಎನ್.ಎಕ್ಸ್ / 2018, ದಿನಾಂಕ : 17-02-2021 ರಂತೆ ಪತೀರ್ಮ ಅನುಮೋದನೆಗೊಂಡಿದ್ದು, ಭೂಸ್ವಾಧೀನಪಡಿಸಿಕೊಳ್ಳಲಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ.

ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ಆದೇಶ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ ನಅಇ/553/ಬೆಂಭೂಸ್ವಾ/2018 ದಿನಾಂಕ 29.10.2018ರಂತೆ ನೀವು 40:60 ಅನುಪಾತದಡಿ ನಿಗದಿಪಡಿಸಿರುವ ಶೇ. 40 ರಷ್ಟು ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿಪಡಿಸಿದ ನಿವೇಶನಗಳ ಭೂಪರಿಹಾರವನ್ನು ಆಯ್ಕೆ ಮಾಡಿಕೊಂಡಿರುತ್ತೀರಿ. ಅದರಂತೆ ಭೂಸ್ವಾಧೀನಕ್ಕೆ ಒಳಪಟ್ಟ ಜಮೀನಿಗೆ ಪತೀರ್ಮ ರಚಿಸಿರುವಂತೆ ಈ ಕೆಳಕಂಡ ಕೋಷ್ಟಕದಲ್ಲಿರುವ ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿ ಪಡಿಸಿದ ನಿವೇಶನಗಳನ್ನು ನಿಮಗೆ ನೀಡಲಾಗುವುದು.

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Dr. K. Shivarama Karanth Layout is being formed under the supervision of the Hon'ble Supreme Court and order has been issued to provide Cash Compensation or in the form of Developed Sites in the ratio of 40:60 calculated at 9583 sq. ft. per 1 Acre as Land compensation to Land Owners.

If the Land Owners, between the above choices, have opted for getting Developed Sites as compensation and have submitted request in writing to the Special Land Acquisition Officer, such Land owners will be given certificates regarding the Developed Sites that can be given for the area of land acquired.

Therefore in cases where award is approved and Notices issued under Land Acquisition Act 1894 Section 12(2) Land Owners are requested to express their choice and submit their request to Special Land Acquisition Officer, Dr. K. Shivarama Karanth Layout, Bangalore Development Authority.

Certificates have already been distributed to Land Owners in Kalathammanahalli, Ganigarahalli, Ramagondanahalli, Guni Agrahara, Medi Agrahara Veerasagara, Doddabettahalli and Bylakere villages.

For the remaining Land Owners who have opted for Developed Sites as Land Compensation, certificates will be delivered to their address and on priority Sites will be registered and given to Land Owners after the formation of the layout.

Land losers are requested to provide application seeking compensation either for cash or developed sites as per the scheme within 15.04.2023 to concerned special land Acquisition Officer. Otherwise steps will be taken to deposit the cash as per the awards in the City Civil Court in accordance with law. This is published for the information of the Land Owners.

Sd/-
Deputy Commissioner (LAQ)
B.D.A., Bengaluru.

KARNATAKA NEERAVARI NIGAM LIMITED

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No: EE/KNNL/PB/KIRUVATTI/TENDER/2022-23/1810 Dated:06.03.2023

SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION (THROUGH "e-Procurement" ONLY)

On behalf of the Managing Director Karnataka Neeravari Nigama Limited, Bangalore, the Executive Engineer, KNNL, SLI Division, Dharwad , Karnataka invites tenders on turn key basis in **Two Cover System** from the **eligible registered Civil Contractor**. The intending bidders can submit their bids as an individual /firm/company for the work of "Survey, Investigation, Design, Supply, Erection, Testing And Commissioning Of Kiravatti Tank Filling Scheme For Filling Up Of Mi/Zp Tanks Located On Right Bank Of Bedti River In Kiravatti And Madanuru Gram Panchayats In Yallapura Taluka And Tanks Located On Left Bank Of Bedti River In Gunjavati And Mainalli Gram Panchayats In Mundgod Taluka By Lifting Water From Bedti River On Turn-Key Basis. **Phase-1 Work, Consisting Of Following Components:** Construction Of Diversion Weir, Jackwell Cum Pump House, Vertical Turbine Pumps Coupled To Ht Motors Electrical Panel, Soft Starter, Capacitor. 33 Kv Power Transformers, 33/6.6 Kv Substation, 33 Kv Power Line, 110 Kv/ 33 Kv Transformer Bay And 33 Kv Terminal Bay, Rising Main, Pressure Distribution Network For **Filling Up Of 50 Tanks Located On Right Bank** Through Ms/Hdpe Pipes With Installation Of Surge Protection System, Supply Of Spares And Tools Including Operation And Maintenance For Five Years After Successful Commissioning Of The Entire System On Turnkey Basis For **Head Works And Right Bank Pipe Distribution Network Of Kiravatti Tank Filling Scheme (Phase-1)" (Amount put to tender Rs.134.90 Crores**) through e-procurement portal of Government of Karnataka. The blank tender documents can be obtained through website www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in from **07/03/2023, 11.00 a.m.** onwards and completed e-tendering documents can be submitted up to **14/03/2023, 4.00 p.m**. The Pre-Bid meeting is scheduled on **10/03/2023** at **11.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m**. in the office of **Chief Engineer, KNNL, Malaprabha Project Zone, Dharwad**. The technical bid will be opened on **15/03/2023 at 4.30 p.m**. and financial bids of successful tenders will be opened on **16/03/2023** at **5.00 p.m**. or after obtaining approval to the Technical Bid.

Any Addendum/Corrigendum shall be published in the e-Procurement portal only. The undersigned reserves the right to postpone, accept, reject any or all the tenders without assigning any reason whatsoever.

Sd/- (SURESH.B.HALLI)
Executive Engineer,
KNNL, SLI DIVISION, DHARWAD

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KRISHNA BHAGYA JALA NIGAM LIMITED

(A Govt. of Karnataka Undertaking)
Office of the Executive Engineer, FIC Div. No.1, KBJNL,
Awarad Tq. Jewargi.Dist:Kalaburagi

No.KBJNL/FIC/Divn-1/PB/TND/2022-23/546 Date:04.03.2023

SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION (Through E-procurement only)

Tenders Through E-Prourement portal only on percentage tender basis under the Head of Account KBJNL are invited from eligible contractors on behalf of the Administrator, Krishna-CADA, Bheemarayanagudi, by the Executive Engineer, KBJNL, FIC Division No-1, Awarad.. The Details are as under:
1) No of works : Nala deepening works under Jewargi Taluka (Reserved for ST)- 01 Nos, Check dam Jewargi Taluka -2 No's (1 work Reserved for SC), Check dam Shahapur taluka-1 No's, Repairs to Building jewargi taluka -1No"s, Improvement to Road works Shahapur taluka-01 Nos. **(Total works-06 Nos),** 2) Amount Put to Tender: **Max: Rs 50.44 lakhs Min: 8.42 lakhs,** 3) EMD Amount: Max: Rs. 100900/- Min Rs: 10600/-, 4) Access to e-tender document: **From 07-03-2023 to 15-03-2023 up to 5.00PM,** 5) Last date of submission of completed e-tendering documents : **15-03-2023 up to 5.00PM,** 6) Bid Opening @ office of the Executive Engineer, KBJNL, FIC Division No.1 Awarad : Financial bids and technical bids of works costing more than 50 lakhs will be opened on **17.03.2023 at 11.00 AM,** Financial bids of works costing more than 50 lakhs work will be opened on **23.03.2023 at 11.00 AM** 7) Contact for further Details: Office of the Executive Engineer, FIC Div. No.1, KBJNL, Awarad Tq. Jewargi, Dist:Kalaburgi, 8) Web site Address: **www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in**
Note: Bidders applying for the works, visit Website www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in for work Indent wise details regarding Tender Eligibility and for other clauses/Rules.

Sd/- Executive Engineer, FIC Div. No.1,
KBJNL, Awarad Tq. Jewargi, Dist:Kalaburagi

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PUBLIC NOTICE OF E-AUCTION SALE (for immovable properties)

(In terms of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest SARFAESI Act 2002)
Whereas the Authorised Officer of the Bank has issued a Demand Notice under Section 13(2) of SARFAESI Act 2002 and there after in exercise of powers under Section 13(12) of SARFAESI Act 2002 has taken possession of properties mortgaged to Bank under Section 13(4) of the SARFAESI Act 2002. The undersigned in the capacity of Authorised Officer has decided for sale of the following properties to public by **E-auction** and invite bids from the intending purchasers for purchase of the immovable properties mentioned hereunder on **"AS IS WHERE IS & AS IS WHAT IS"** basis.

Name of the Borrower's / Guarantor.	a) Date of Demand Notice b) Date of Possession c) Present outstanding dues	a) Date & Time for inspection of property b) bid submission last date c) Date & Time of E-Auction	a) Reserve Price b) EMD Amount c) Bid Increase Amount
Mrs. Shaheen Taj & Mr. Mohammed Ayub Hussain	a) **17.09.2019** b) **10.12.2019** c) **1,35,81,630.47** plus unapplied interest and costs charges etc	a) **18.03.2023 between 10.00 A.M. to 5.00 PM** b) **24.03.2023 before 12 noon** c) **24.03.2023 between 01.00 PM to 05.00 PM**	a) **Rs.1,00,00,000/-** b) **Rs.10,00,000/-** c) **Rs.25,000/-**

Description of the Immovable Property : All that piece and parcel of the Central (Middle) potion of immovable property bearing Municipal No.4/1, situated at Chikka Puttapa Layout, AMC Road, Kaval Byrasandra, BBMP ward No.95, Bengaluru, (Previously being Site No.4 & 5 formed in Sy.No.47/6 & 47/7, Khatha No.404/A, situated in Kaval Byrasandra Village, Bengaluru North Taluk) bearing PID No.95-392-4/1, measuring East to West 19 feet and North to South 62.6 feet in all measuring 1187.5 Sq.ft with building thereon consisting of ground floor 8 squares, First Floor 6 Square and Second Floor 6 Squares, totally 20 Squares built up, with all electrical connections, separate electrical meters, and water connections, separate bore well with motor and vitrified flooring and **bounded as follows:** East by: Remaining Portion of the same property, West by: Remaining Portion of the same property, North by: Property belonging to P Krishnappa, South by: Road (Ambedkar Medical College Road).

A/C No. 01510210000656, IFSC Code : UCBA0000151 Email: bancan@ucobank.co.in
UCO Bank, Contonment Branch: #83, MG Road, Bangalore-560001, Abhishek Kumar Mobile No.7018774871

Details of known encumbrances: Not Known
TERMS AND CONDITIONS
1) Sale shall be subjected to the Terms & Conditions prescribed in the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002. Detailed terms and Conditions of the sale is available/ Published inthe following websites/ Web Portal: **i) https://ibapi.in, ii) https://mstcecommerce.com/**
2) The Properties are being sold on **"As is Where is Basis" and "As is What is Basis" and" Whatever There is Basis"**
3) The Particulars of Secured Assets specified in the Schedule herein above have been stated to the best of the information of the Authorized Officers, but the Authorized Officer shall not beanswerable for any error, misstatement or Omission in this proclamation.
4) The Sale will be done by the undersigned through e-auction platform provided at the website. **https://mstcecommerce.com/auctionhome/ibapi/index.jsp on date 24.03.2023 between 1.00 pm to 5:00 pm.**
5) It is open to the Bank to appoint a representative and make self-bid and participate in the auction.
6) The final decision is vested with Authorised Officer.

Date: 07.03.2023, Place: Bangalore **Sd/- Authorised Officer, UCO Bank**

Government of Karnataka

OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER, CHITRADURGA-577501.

(District Urban Dvelopment Cell)
Telephone No: 08194-225713, E-mail: dudc_ctg@yahoo.co.in
No: DUDC/NAGAROTHANA Phase 05/TS 42/2022-23 **Date: 03.03.2023**

TENDER NOTIFICATION

The Executive Engineer, DUDC, Chitradurga District invites tenders in Two cover system through e-portal using KW- 2 & 3 document from PWD Civil and Electrical contractors for Chief Minister Amruth Nagarothana (Municipality) Scheme (Phase-4) Project and 5% Incentive Grant in Hiriyur CMC and Nayakanahatti Town Panchayath, Chitradurga District Package works as detailed below:-

Description of work: 1) Package No. 01:- Resurfacing of asphalt roads in Kuvempu Nagara ward no 24 main roads and cross roads in Hiriyur cmc. Resurfacing of asphalt roads in cm layout cross roads and main roads and main roads and navagraha park road roads, in hiriyur cmc. Resurfacing of asphalt roads in ward no 25 Vishwesharaiha road and cross roads in Hiriyur cmc. Construction of Asphalt Roads Main Road and 2nd 3rd Cross Roads and Park Development in Devagiri Badavane in Hiriyur CMC Limits Resurfacing of Asphalt Roads A Krishnappa Jodi Roads in Hiriyur CMC Limits. Resurfacing of Huliyar Road V V Sagar Right Bank Canal Road in Hiriyur CMC Limits under Chief Minister's Amrtuh Nagarothana (Municipality) Scheme (Phase-4) DMA/2022-23/RD/WORK_INDENT 148118. Amount Put to Tender (Excluding GST): Rs. 84.75 Lakhs. EMD Amount: Rs. 1.69 Lakhs. Class of Contractor: Class-III and Above Civil. Duration: 06 Months. 2) Package No. 03:- Providing and installation of LED street lights by installing electric pole on the existing divider from HP petrol station on Challakere road of Nayakanahatti town to Chikkakere Kodi on Jagaluru road and above Chikkakere at Ward no. 7,8,9,10,11 and 12. Nayakanahatti Town limits under Chief Minister's Amrtuh Nagarothana (Municipality) Scheme (Phase-4) Indent No. DMA/2022- 23/EL/WORK_INDENT147588. Amount Put to Tender (Excluding GST): Rs. 75.05 Lakhs. EMD Amount: Rs. 1.50 Lakhs. Class of Contractor: Class-I Electrical. Duration: 06 Months. 3) Package No. 04 Construction of Nayakanahatti Town Panchayath Office Building (continuation) work. DMA/2022- 23/BD/WORK_INDENT134213. Amount Put to Tender (Excluding GST): Rs. 76.00 Lakhs. EMD Amount: Rs. 1.52 Lakhs. Class of Contractor: Class-III and Above Civil. Duration: 09 Months. 4) Package No. 05 Construction of commercial complex in town panchayath area on the left side of Horamatha Gate of Nayakanahatti Town panchayath in Ward no. 07. DMA/2022- 23/BD/WORK INDENT147506. Amount Put to Tender (Excluding GST): Rs. 32.49 Lakhs. EMD Amount: Rs. 0.65 Lakhs. Class of Contractor: Class-III and Above Civil. Duration: 09 Months.

Interested contractors shall register on the e-procurement platform to participate in this tender. Contractors can download the tender documents from from the e-Procurement platform (www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in). Tenders shall be submitted electronically at www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in. EMD and Tender Processing Fee shall also be paid electronically.

Calendar of Events and other information are as follows: 06.03.2023 @ 05:30 PM. 1) Last date for Submitting Queries: 2) Last Date for uploading tender documents: 18.03.2023 @ 05.30 PM. 3) Date of Opening of Tenders (Technical Bids): 20.03.2023 @ 05:30 AM. 4) Date of Opening of Tenders (Financial Bids): After Technical Bid Approval.

Any changes in the tender conditions administrative problems and Postponement of calendar of events (if any) is only through e-Procurement portal and will not be published in any newspapers.

Sd/- Executive Engineer, District Urban Dvelopment Cell, Chitradurga

RO No. 1102: DIPR/CTA/KSMCA/2022-23

ओएनजीसी ONGC

ऑयल एण्ड नेचुरल गैस कॉरपोरेशन लिमिटेड | Oil and Natural Gas Corporation Ltd.

EASTERN OFFSHORE ASSET, KAKINADA (A.P.)
EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI)

ONGC, Eastern Offshore Asset, Kakinada invites Pre-qualification criteria (PQC) from reputed and interested agencies for providing integrated consultancy services for Pre-FEED, FEED, TBP & PMC services for (i) cluster I of KG-DWN-98/2 & GS-29 block (ii) Tie in of 2 wells, with an objective to ascertain the Experience criteria/Pre-Qualification Criteria (PQC) on ICB basis.The PQC meet shall be held on 17.03.2023.Note:For further details, please visit ONGC website **https://tenders.ongc.co.in**

ONGC Jeetega Toh Jeetega India

UJVN Limited

HO "UJJWAL', Maharani Bagh, GMS Road, Dehradun-248006
Telephones: 0135-2763808 Fax- 0135- 2763508
CIN No. U40101UR2001SGC025866, Website: www.ujvnl.com

पत्र सं0: 222 दिनांक : 06/03/2023

"e- Procurement "
TIME EXTENSION NOTICE NO.-01

Due to unavoidable reasons, the date of submission and opening of the following tenders invited by the Executive Engineer (Civil), Pashulok Barrage Rishikesh is extended as follows.
1. **Tender Notice Reference:**
   NIT No.-23/2022-23/EE(C)/Pashulok Barrage:- Protection Works of Downstream of Bin Super Passage at Power Channel of Chilla HEP.
   NIT No.-24/2022-23/EE(C)/Pashulok Barrage:- Protection Work in Left Bank Near Vindhyavasini Site at Bin River.
2. Last Date & Time for submission of Tender on the portal:- Up to 17:00 hrs of 13 March, 2023.
3. Last date & time of Receipt of relevant document in Office:- Up to 14:00 hrs of 13 March, 2023.
4. Date & Time of Opening of Tender on the portal:- at 11:00 hrs of 14 March, 2023.

For the eligibility and other detailed information, the e-procurement portal "**http://uktenders.gov.in**" keep watching continuously.

"Avoid wasteful use of Electricity"

ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸರ್ಕಾರ
ಕಾರ್ಯಪಾಲಕ ಇಂಜಿನಿಯರ್,
ಗ್ರಾಮೀಣ ನೀರು ಸರಬರಾಜು ಮತ್ತು ನೈರ್ಮಲ್ಯ ವಿಭಾಗ, ಚಿಕ್ಕಮಗಳೂರು

ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಆಹ್ವಾನ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ

ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: 8-5th, 9-6th, 20-3rd Call, 21-2nd Dtd: 04-03-2023

ಕಾರ್ಯಪಾಲಕ ಇಂಜಿನಿಯರ್, ಗ್ರಾಮೀಣ ನೀರು ಸರಬರಾಜು ಮತ್ತು ನೈರ್ಮಲ್ಯ ವಿಭಾಗ, ಚಿಕ್ಕಮಗಳೂರು, ಚಿಕ್ಕಮಗಳೂರು ಜಿಲ್ಲೆಯ ಚಿಕ್ಕಮಗಳೂರು, ಕಡೂರು, ಎನ್.ಆರ್.ಪುರ, ಕೊಪ್ಪ, ಶೃಂಗೇರಿ ತಾಲೂಕಿನ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಿಸಿದಂತೆ ಇ-ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಮೂಲಕ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಆಹ್ವಾನಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಯ ಕನಿಷ್ಠ ಮೊತ್ತ ರೂ. 11.39 ಹಾಗೂ ಗರಿಷ್ಠ ಮೊತ್ತ ರೂ. 167.05 ಲಕ್ಷಗಳು ಒಟ್ಟು 7 ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳನ್ನು ವಹಿಸಿಕೊಳ್ಳುವ ಅಥವಾ ನಿರ್ವಹಿಸಿರುವ ಸಾಮರ್ಥ್ಯದ ಬಗ್ಗೆ **Standard Tender Document KW-1,2 & 4**ರಂತೆ ವಿವರಗಳನ್ನು ಲಗತ್ತಿಸತಕ್ಕದ್ದು. ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆದಾರರಿಗೆ ಅಧಿನಿಯಮ 1ರಲ್ಲಿ ನಮೂದಿಸಿರುವ ಕನಿಷ್ಠ ಅರ್ಹತೆಗಳಿದ್ದರೆ ಮಾತ್ರ ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆಯನ್ನು ವಹಿಸಬಹುದಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಇ-ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಮೂಲಕ ದಿನಾಂಕ: 04-03-2023 ರಿಂದ 13-03-2023ರವರೆಗೆ ಸಂಜೆ 5.30 ಗಂಟೆಯೊಳಗೆ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಬೇಕು. ಟೆಂಡರನ್ನು ದಿನಾಂಕ: 14-03-2023ರಂದು ಸಂಜೆ 5.30ಕ್ಕೆ ತೆರೆಯಲಾಗುವುದು. ಈ ದಿನಾಂಕದಂದು ಆಕಸ್ಮಿಕ ರಜಾ ದಿನಗಳು ಬಂದಲ್ಲಿ ಮರುದಿನವನ್ನು ಪರಿಗಣಿಸಲಾಗುವುದು. ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆಯನ್ನು **www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in** ನಲ್ಲಿ ಓದಿಕೊಳ್ಳುವುದು. ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ವಿವರಗಳಿಗೆ ಕಛೇರಿ ವೇಳೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ವಿಷಯ ನಿರ್ವಾಹಕರನ್ನು ಸಂಪರ್ಕಿಸಿ ತಿಳಿಯಬಹುದಾಗಿದೆ.

ಸಹಿ/- ಕಾರ್ಯಪಾಲಕ ಇಂಜಿನಿಯರ್, ಗ್ರಾಮೀಣ ನೀರು ಸರಬರಾಜು ಮತ್ತು ನೈರ್ಮಲ್ಯ ವಿಭಾಗ, ಚಿಕ್ಕಮಗಳೂರು

पंजाब नैशनल बैंक punjab national bank

CIRCLE SASTRA CENTRE
448-A, Dr. Nanjappa Road, COIMBATORE – 641 018.
Ph: 0422 2231314. e-mail : cs4371@pnb.co.in

SUBSTITUTED NOTICE

Notice dated 30-01-2023 issued to the below Borrower u/s 13(2) of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security interest Act 2002 by the above branch.
Co-Borrower: (1) Mrs.Renuka Devi N.A, Block Quarter, Type 1/10 Group, Centre CRPF, Yalanka, BANGALORE. **(2) Mrs.Renuka Devi N.A,** 236, Type 1, Spl Chandrayangutal, Bandlaguda, Keshogiri, TELANGANA – 500 005.
The captioned notice sent to you by registered post could not be served on you. I have reason to believe that you are avoiding the service of the demand notice to you. Therefore, the contents of the notice are being published in this news paper. You have availed loan facility totaling **Rs.22,50,000/- (Rupees Twenty Two Lakhs Fifty Thousand only)** after executing relevant documents in favour of the bank to secure the repayment of the said loan. You have committed default of repayment of the loans and an amount of **Rs.23,77,640.43 (Rupees Twenty Three Lakhs Seventy Seven Thousand Six Hundred Forty and Paise Forty Three only)** is outstanding as on **31-12-2022** with further cost and interest at the rate agreed by you. To secure the money due or money that may become due to the bank, you have created the following security, among others, in favour of Punjab National Bank, Pollachi by way of equitable mortgage.

Details of Secured Assets :

Property in the name of Mr. P.K. Rajith In Coimbatore Registration District, in Kinathukadavu Sub Registration District, in Kinathukadavu Taluk, Kinathukadavu Village, SF No. 111/1A consisting of an extent of 0.20 acres. In this an extent of 0.04 acre, SF No. 111/2B1 consisting of 0.40 acres, in this an extent of 0.24 acre, SF No, 112/2B an extent of 0.16 acre, SF No. 112/3B consisting of an extent of 1.78 acres, in this an extent of 1.54 acres, SF No. 112/3G, an extent of 0.40 acre and SF No.112/3C an extent of 0.44 ½ acre, thus an extent of 2.82 ½ acres converted into a layout known as 'Sri Meenakshi Avenue' approved under reference no. 72/2013, in this Plot No.19 within the following boundaries : On the South -Plot No.20, On the North -30 feet East-West Road, On the East-30 feet North-South Road, On the West-Plot no.18. With the following measurements : East-West on the North - 25 feet; East-West on the South - 30 feet; North-South on the West-50 feet; North-South on the East - 45 feet; With a Splay of 7 feet on the North West corner. Thus an extent of 1488 Sq.ft or 138.2 Sq.meters with building to be constructed upon it and all the rights and appurtenances thereon. The above Property falls in SF no.1112/3B.

Therefore, you as a borrower in terms of the aforesaid notice have been called upon to pay the above said sum together with further interest thereon with monthly rest and costs of this notice to the bank within 60 days from the date of this notice, stating that on your failure to comply therewith. I , the Authorised officer shall exercise all or any of the rights under section 13(4) of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security interest Act 2002. Please note that in the event of your failure to comply the demand notice by these presents we intend to enforce aforesaid securities. This publication is made in terms of Rule 3(1) of security interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002. In terms of Section 13(13) of the Act, You are restrained from alienating the secured assets herein from the date of notice without prior consent of the Bank.

Date : 01.03.2023 **Authorised Officer**
Place : Coimbatore **Punjab National Bank**

KARNATAKA POWER TRANSMISSION CORPORATION LIMITED

(CIN:U40109KA1999SGC025521)

No. SEE/Tr(M)/BMAZ(S)/AEE(C)/2022-23/4321-22 **Date :06.03.2023**

BRIEF TENDER NOTIFICATION

(Through e-procurement mode only)

KPTCL invites tenders for the various Civil Works in Hoody Division, through e-procurement mode.
The Bids will be received through E-Procurement mode only. The detailed notification regarding the subject tenders can be got by logging on to **https://kptcl.karnataka.gov.in** with hyperlink **'e-Procurement-KPTCL'** or to **https://eproc. karnataka.gov.in** on or after **08.03.2023.**

Sd/- Superintending Engineer (Ele),
Transmission (Maintenance), BMAZ South Circle, KPTCL,
A.R. Circle, Bengaluru-560 009, Tele-Fax: 080-22386686/85

GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA
ZILLA PANCHAYATH, RAMANAGARA
RURAL DRINKING WATER AND SANITATION
DIVISION RAMANAGARA

RE-TENDER NOTIFICATION NO:67/EE/RDWS&SD/RMG/TENDER/AE.4/JJM/2404/2021-2022 Date:04.03.2023

The RURAL WATER SUPPLY AND SANITATION Division Ramanagara is inviting on behalf of Governor of Karnataka State under Single & Two cover bid system as per the Karnataka Transparency in Public Procurement ACT 1999 and Rules 2000- STANDARD BID DOCUMENT KW-2&3 for water supply works **under JJM** through e-procurement from Registered Open & Reserved Contractors as per the schedule given below.

Max Amount Put To Tender:Rs.90.36Lakhs EMD:Rs.1.81Lakhs
Min Amount Put To Tender:Rs.20.64 Lakhs EMD:Rs.0.25Lakhs
Period Of Contract: 06 Months
Last Date for submission of Tender:13.03.2023 Upto 4.30 P.M.
Opening of Technical Bid of the Tender:14.03.2023 at 5.00 P.M.onwards
Opening of Financial Bid of the Tender:16.03.2023 at 11.00 A.M.onwards

For further particulars/details may avail from the office of the undersigned during office hours on all working days and may visit the website **www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in**

Sd/- Executive Engineer
RDW&S Division, Ramanagara

ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಅರಣ್ಯ ಇಲಾಖೆ
ಉಪ ಅರಣ್ಯ ಸಂರಕ್ಷಣಾಧಿಕಾರಿ ಮತ್ತು ನಿರ್ದೇಶಕರ ಕಛೇರಿ,
ರಾಜೀವ್‌ಗಾಂಧಿ ರಾಷ್ಟ್ರೀಯ ಉದ್ಯಾನವನ, ಹುಣಸೂರು
Ph: 08222-252041 Email: dirnagarahole@aranya.gov.in
ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ/ಬಿ3/ಉಗ್ರಾಣ/ಸಾ.ಆ.ಪಡಿತರ/ಸರಬರಾಜು/ಟೆಂಡರ್/ಸಿಆರ್-52/2022-23 ದಿ: 01.03.2023

ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಅಧಿಸೂಚನೆ

2023-24ನೇ ಸಾಲಿನಲ್ಲಿ ನಾಗರಹೊಳೆ ಹುಲಿ ಸಂರಕ್ಷಿತ ಪ್ರದೇಶದ ವ್ಯಾಪ್ತಿಯ ಇಲಾಖಾ ಆನೆ ಶಿಬಿರಗಳಿಗೆ 01.04.2023 ರಿಂದ 31.03.2024ರ ವರೆಗೆ ವಿವಿಧ ಪಡಿತರ ಸಾಮಾಗ್ರಿಗಳನ್ನು ಸರಬರಾಜು ಮಾಡುವ ಸಂಬಂಧ ಇ-ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಪೋರ್ಟಲ್ ಮುಖಾಂತರ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಆಹ್ವಾನಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಇಚ್ಛೆಯುಳ್ಳ ಸರಬರಾಜುದಾರರು ಕೆಳಕಂಡ ದಿನಾಂಕದಂದು ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ಭಾಗವಹಿಸಬಹುದಾಗಿದೆ.

ಸರಬರಾಜು ವಿವರ: ಇಲಾಖಾ ಆನೆ ಶಿಬಿರಗಳಿಗೆ ವಿವಿಧ ಆಹಾರ ಪಡಿತರ ಸಾಮಾಗ್ರಿಗಳ ಸರಬರಾಜು **ಅಂದಾಜು ಮೊತ್ತ (ರೂ.ಲಕ್ಷಗಳಲ್ಲಿ):** 60.00

● ಮೇಲಿನ ಅನುಸೂಚಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಆಹ್ವಾನಿಸಿರುವ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳು ಸರ್ಕಾರದಿಂದ ನಿಗದಿಪಡಿಸುವ ಅನುದಾನ ಮತ್ತು ಬಿಡುಗಡೆಯಾಗುವ ಅನುದಾನದ ನಿರೀಕ್ಷೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಆಹ್ವಾನಿಸಲಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ● ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಲು ಕೊನೆಯ ದಿ: 10.03.2023 ಮರು ಟೆಂಡರ್ ದಿ: 17.03.2023
ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ಮಾಹಿತಿಗಾಗಿ ಕಛೇರಿ ವೇಳೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಮೇಲ್ಕಂಡ ದೂರವಾಣಿ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆಯನ್ನು ಸಂಪರ್ಕಿಸಬಹುದಾಗಿದೆ.

ಸಹಿ/- ಉಪ ಅರಣ್ಯ ಸಂರಕ್ಷಣಾಧಿಕಾರಿ ಮತ್ತು ನಿರ್ದೇಶಕರು,
ನಾಗರಹೊಳೆ ಹುಲಿ ಸಂರಕ್ಷಿತ ಪ್ರದೇಶ, ಹುಣಸೂರು.

DIPR/DDMYS/KSMCA/1143/2022-23

ಜಿಲ್ಲಾಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳ ಕಾರ್ಯಾಲಯ, ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ನಗರಾಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿ ಕೋಶ,
ಬಾಗಲಕೋಟೆ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆ, ಬಾಗಲಕೋಟೆ - 587103
Ph: 08354-235776 E-mail: dudc_bgk@yahoo.co.in,
Itstaff dudc_bagalkote@yahoo.co.in

ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ:ಜಿನಕೋಬಾ: ನಗರೋತ್ಥಾನ ಹಂತ-4:2022-23 ದಿನಾಂಕ: 06.03.2023.

ಅಲ್ಪಾವಧಿ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ
E-Proceurement portal ಮುಖಾಂತರ

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ಇಂಡೆಂಟ ನಂ :
(1) DMA/2022-23/OW/WORK_INDENT145021/CALL-2 (Reserved For ST Contractor)
(2) DMA/2022-23/OW/WORK_INDENT145036/CALL-3
(3) DMA/2022-23/OW/WORK_INDENT145001/CALL-3
(4) DMA/2022-23/OW/WORK_INDENT145209/CALL-2

ಕ್ರ.ಸಂ.4 ರ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಯ Pre-bid Meeting Date: 10.03.2022 at 11.30

ಸೂಚನೆಗಳು:
(1) Last Date & Time for receipt of tenders : 14.03.2023. At 16.00 pm.
(2) Opening of Technical bid is on Dtd : 15.03.2023. at 16.30 am.
(3) Date & Time for Opening of Financial Bid Dtd : 18.03.2023 at 11.30 am.

ಟೆಂಡರನಲ್ಲಿ ದಿನಾಂಕ ಹಾಗೂ ಇತರೆ ತಿದ್ದುಪಡಿಗಳು ಇದ್ದಲ್ಲಿ ಇ-ಪೋರ್ಟಲ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ತಿಳಿಸಲಾಗುವದು, ಯಾವುದೇ ದಿನ ಪತ್ರಿಕೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಪ್ರಕಟಿಸಲಾಗುವದಿಲ್ಲ.

ಸಹಿ/- ಕಾರ್ಯಪಾಲಕ ಅಭಿಯಂತರರು
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VISTAAR FINANCE — Vistaar Financial Services Pvt Ltd

Registered Office at Plot No.59 & 60-23, 22nd Cross, 29th Main, BTM Layout Stage 2, Bengaluru– 560076.

SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES

E-auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with Rule 8 and 9 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.
Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower / Co-Borrower/ Mortgagor (s)/Guarantor(s) that the below described immovable properties mortgaged to the Secured Creditor, the Possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of **Vistaar Financial Services Private Limited** under the SARFAESI Act 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(12) read with Rules 8 and 9 of the security interest (Enforcement) Rule pursuant to notice under section 13(2) of the SARFAESI Act 2002.
The Secured Assets will be sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" basis on 24-03-2023** through E-Auction.
It is hereby informed to General public that we are going to conduct public through E-Auction platform provided at the **website: https://sarfaesi.auctiontiger.net**

1. Name of Borrower, Co- Borrower, Mortgagor 2. Account No	Descriptions of the property/Properties	A) Demand Notice Date- B) Possession date C) Outstanding Balance as per Demand Notice	1. Reserve Price, 2. Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) 3. Bid Incremental Amount	1. Date and Time of E-Auction 2. Last Date of Submission EMD, 3. Date and time of property Inspection
1) Mr/Mrs Prakash Murthy. G 2) Mr/Mrs Uma. G Account No 0060SBML00477	All All that piece and parcel of Immovable property of Northern portion of assessment of No. 15/5, BBMP Khata No. 656/15/5/69, Situated at Dooda Bettahalli Village, Yalahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Now under the Limit of BBMP, Measuring East to West 35 Feet, North to South 30 Feet, in all 1050 Sq Feet long with A.C Sheet Godown Constructed therin and **Bounded on the** East By: Owners Property, West by: Owner Property, North by: Road, South by: Site No. 69 Reaming Yoshodas Property.	A) Demand Notice Date: 12-08-2021 B) Symbolic Possession date: 08-12-2021 C) Outstanding Balance as per Demand Notice: **Rs. 27,79,396.84/-** D)) Possession: Physical	Reserve Price Rs.15,50,000/- Earnest Money Deposit (EMD): Rs.1,55,000/- Bid Incremental Amount: 5,000/-	Date and Time of E-Auction **24/03/2023 at 11:30 AM to 12:30 PM** (with unlimited extension of 5 min each) Last Date of Submission EMD with KYC **22/03/2023 up to 5:00 PM.** Date and Time of Inspection **14/03/2023 and 20/03/2023 between 11.00 AM to 4.00PM**

1. All Interested participants / bidders are requested to visit the website **https://sarfaesi.auctiontiger.net & www.vistaarfinance.com** For details, help, procedure and online training on e-auction, prospective bidders may contact M/s. e-Procurement Technologies Ltd.; Contact **Mr. Ram Sharma Contact number: 8000023297/ 079-61813 6803. email id: ramprasad@auctiontiger.net, support@auctiontiger.net**
2. For further details on terms and conditions please visit **https://sarfaesi.auctiontiger.net & www.vistaarfinance.com** to take part in e-auction.
3. Encumbrance: No such information known to the best of the knowledge of Authorized officer. The bidders are requested to do their own due diligence
4. EMD Remittance Deposit Through **Vistaar Financial Services Pvt Ltd** to the credit of Account No 910020011630601, Axis Bank Ltd , IFSC Code UTIB0000052
5. For further details and queries, inspection of property, please contact Concerned official of **Vistaar Financial Services Private Limited Mr Mallappa (Mobile No 9036909363)**

This notice should also be considered as 15 days' notice to Borrower / Co-Borrower/ Mortgagor (s)/Guarantor(s) under Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rule-2002.

Date: 08-03-2023 **Authorized Officer**
Place: Bengaluru **Vistaar Financial Services Private Limited**

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the general public that, my client Smt. B.V. HARENI. D/o. Sri. B.S. Venkataram and Smt. B.V. Sulochana, Aged about 52 years, Residing at : No. 19/2, Serpentine Road, Kumara Park West, Bangalore - 560 020, being registered POA holder for her mother Smt. B.V. Sulochana has lost Page No. 5 (9th & 10th page as per sub registrar, office's pagination) in her original property sale deed dated : 29.09.2003, bearing Registration No. 8817/2003-04, Book No.1, CD No. 55 registered before Sub Registrar, Yelahanka, executed by M/s. Sobha Developers Pvt Ltd favouring my clients vendor's Vendor Mr. Gaurang Jhaveri & Mrs. Shilpa Jhaveri in respect of Apartment/Row house bearing No.55B, in building known as "Sobha Emerald". Having a super built up area of 2120.07 Sq.ft, Carved out in converted land Sy.No.108/1A, Jakkur, Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk. The above said document was misplaced/lost, if any person finds the above said document kindly hand over the same to my client in the below said address. In this regard my client has already lodged a complaint through online before Karnataka State police on 06.03.2023 vide Lost report No.0491886/2023.

R. Satish, Advocate
17, V.S. Road, Kumara Park West,
Bangalore-560 020. Ph: 9448081868
Bangalore. Date: 07.03.2023

BEFORE THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-II AT BANGALORE
BSNL BUILDING, 4th Floor,
Telephone House, Rajbhavan Road,
Bengaluru-560 001.

OA No. 329/2022

BETWEEN: Canara Bank ... APPLICANT
AND: Sakthivel Natarajan and others .... **DEFENDANT**
DEFENDANT No.1: SAKTHIVEL NATARAJAN, S/o Natarajan, Flat No. 105, 1st Floor, "C" Block, Urvi Lotus Apartments, Somasandrapalya Main Road, Bengaluru- 560068
DEFENDANT No.2: AMRITHA SAKTHIVEL, W/o Sakthivel Natarajan, Flat No. 105, 1st Floor, "C" Block, Urvi Lotus Apartments, Somasandrapalya Main Road, Bengaluru -560068

SUMMONS TO DEFENDANT BY WAY OF PAPER PUBLICATION UNDER RULE 23 (viii) OF THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL(PROCEDURE) RULES, 1993

WHEREAS, the Applicant has instituted an Application under Sec. 19 of The Recovery of Debts Due to Banks and Financial Institutions Act, 1993 against the defendants for recovery of sum of Rs. **34,86,356/- (Rupees Thirty Four Lakhs Eighty Six Thousand Three Hundred and Fifty Six only)** together with Current and future Interest and other reliefs.
Take Notice that you are hereby required to appear before this Tribunal to Show Cause within 30 days of the publication of summon/Notice or on **21-04-2023 at 11.00 A.M.** in person or by a Pleader/Advocate duly instructed as to why the relief prayed for should not be granted.
Take Notice that in case of default, the Application will be heard and determined in your absence.
Given under my hand and the seal of this Tribunal on this 01/03/2023.
By order of the Tribunal, Registrar, Debts Recovery Tribunal-II Bangalore.

PUBLIC NOTICE

On the instruction given by my client **Mr. T.S. Venkatesh Murthy S/o. Late Sri. T.R. Srinivasa Murthy aged about 80 years,** residing at No. 36, 4th Main Road, 7th Block, Banagirinagara Banashankari 3rd Stage, Bengaluru 560085 Aadhaar No. 408400352958, declares that his wife Smt. Bhagya Venkatesh was the owner of Schedule Property and she deceased on 04.10.2005, after her death her husband, My client was possessed all the original documents in respect of the Schedule Property, now he lost original document like **original Sale deed at document No. 6817/96-97, Book-1, Vol. No. 3488, pages No. 229 to 232 dated 19.02.1997 registered in the office of Sub registrar Thumkur** in respect of **Site No. 46,** Village Katha No. 1585, measuring East to West to the Northern Side 65 feet, to the Southern Side 68 feet and North to South 40 feet carved in Sy. No. 30/1A, Heggere Village, Kasaba Hobli, Thumkur Taluk, bounded : East By Road, West By : Site No. 43, North By : Site No. 47, South By : Site No. 45:, my client is permanent resident in the above said address, He lost the said Documents in Bangalore itself for which he lodged a police complaint for loss of original documents before the Crime Branch Bengaluru City Police on **04/03/2023, as per Lost Report No. 0490944/2023, Serial No. 490944** from which day he was not found the document, hence this paper publication.
Notice is hereby given to all concerned calling that if anyone found/notice above said original documents in public please inform my client or to me immediately. It is hereby inform that other than my client if any third person made any transaction over the above said property my client is not held responsible and same is not binding on my client.
Note:-If anybody having their objection to this regard, intimate the same to the below said address within 7 (Seven) days by this day.

S.D. LAW ASSOCIATES
Advocate and Consultants
No.87 Opp. 43A BMTC Bus Stop,
Vivekananda Nagar, Kathriguppe Main Road,BSK 3rd Stage, Bangalore 560085.
(M) 9845930803
DATED : 08.03.2023

Hg. 21/4/2023

IN THE COURT OF THE LXI ADDL CITY CIVIL JUDGE AT BANGALORE
CCH-62
O.S.No.4442/2022

BETWEEN:
Sri D.D.Patel and Another **...Plaintiff**
AND
M/s. Urban Village and Another **...Defendants**

SUMMONS/NOTICE TO DEFENDANT NO.1

1.M/s. Urban Village,
Represented by its proprietor, Mr.V.Pavan Kumar S/o V.Shankaraiah, Residing At No.:8-35-15-A, Kumar Nagar, Vayalpad-517299.
Residing at Flat No.106, First Floor, "S.R.Serene Homes" No.60/3, Horamavu, Bangalore-560043.
Whereas the plaintiff above named has filed the above suit seeking for the relief of judgment to quit, Vacate and handover the schedule property and other consequential reliefs:
You are arrayed as Defendant No.1 in the above case. Please take notice that you are hereby called upon to appear before this Hon'ble Court either in person or through pleader duly authorized on 21.04.2023 at 11 A.M. failing which, you will be placed ex-parte, the suit will be decided in your absence in accordance with law.

SCHEDULE PREMISES

All that piece and parcel of the shop premises in second floor in building bearing No:1014, 6th Cross Road, 4th Block, 1st Stage, HBR Layout, Bengaluru-560043, measuring 3500 Sq.feet., along with fittings and fixtures as mentioned in the lease agreement dated 30.12.2019.
East by : Property No.1036 and 1037, West by : Ring Road (ORR), North by : 6th Main Road, South by : Property No.1015.
Given under my hand and seal of the authority on **3rd day of March 2023,** Bangalore.
Bangalore
Date:18.02.2023

By order of the court
Sd/-Assistant/Registrar
City Civil Court, Bangalore

S.V.Manjunatha and Associates,
No.14, 13th Cross, Cubbonpet,
Bengaluru-560002

Indian Overseas Bank

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY DEPARTMENT
CENTRAL OFFICE: 763, ANNA SALAI, CHENNAI-600002

Indian Overseas bank (IOB) invites bids for the following:

GOVERNMENT E-MARKET PORTAL- PROCUREMENT OF VMWARE NSX-T ALONG WITH LOAD BALANCER
BID NO: GEM/2023/B/3226024 DATED 04.03.2023

The Above GEM Tender document is also available and can be downloaded from the following websites **www.iob.in** & **www.gem.gov.in** For Tender details and future amendments, if any, keep referring to the following website **www.gem.gov.in**

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CAUVERY NEERAVARI NIGAMA LIMITED

(A Government of Karnataka Enterprise)
Office of the Executive Engineer, Hemavathy Dam Division, Gorur Hassan District.

Tender Notification Correction Dt:06.03.2023

The Calendar events of the short term Tender notification No.33/2022-23, Date:02.03.2023 Called by the undersigned through E-portal. the calendar of events of works Sl No. 24 & 28 has been postponed on 06.03.2023 is rescheduled due to technical reasons. (1) Downloading the tender documents through E-portal website (www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in) from 09.03.2023 to 17.03-2023, Opening of Technical/Financial bid 18.03.2023, 5.00 PM. & Work Sl No. 11 has been dropped from the list due to technical reasons, Remaining conditions etc., are holds and good. For further details contact in the undersigned office between 10.30 AM to 5.30 PM on every working days.

Sd/- Executive Engineer, CNNL,
Hemavathy Dam Division, Gorur

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NYAYAMITRA SAHAKARI BANK NIYAMITA

City Civil Court Branch, City Civil Court Compound, K.G. Road, Bengaluru-560009.

AUCTION SALE OF RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY

Auction Sale under Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 of the under mentioned property mortgaged to the Bank for recovery of the Secured Debt of Rs. 18,43,323/- (Rupees Eighteen Lakhs Forty Three Thousand Three Hundred and Twenty Three Only) as on 08-03-2023 with interest and other charges there on till the debt is cleared.

Date & Time of Auction	16-03-2023 at 3.30 P.M
Place of Auction	Nyayamitra Sahakari Bank Niyamita City Civil Court Branch, City Civil Court Compound, K.G. Road, Bangalore - 560 009.
Reserved Price	Rs.31,20,000/-
Name of the Borrower	Sri.Narasimhaiah.N
Name of the Mortgage	Sri.Narasimhaiah.N
Name of the property Owner	Sri.Narasimhaiah.N

SCHEDULE OF THE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of The property bearing No.23 (New No.15), BBMP PID No.35-164-15, having Khatha No.44 & Assessment No.44, Situated in 4th Cross, Ward o.35, Shivanandanagar, Mudalapalya, Nagarabhavi, Yeshwanthapura Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk, Bengaluru, measuring East to West 40 feet and North to South 15 feet and bounded on: East by : Site No.4, West by : 30 Feet Road, North by : Site No.24, South by : Remaining portion of same site No.23.

TERMS AND CONDITION OF SALE

1. The Bidder should deposit EMD of Rs.10,000/- and obtain the Receipt well before the time of auction and the successful bidder fails to fulfill the condition of auction the EMD shall be forfeited.
2. The successful bidder has to pay 25% of the bid amount (inclusive of EMD) on the same day by way of cash or DD and the remaining amount shall be paid with in 15 days of the auction.
3. The successful bidder should bear all the expenses connected with registration/transfer etc.
4. The authorized officer may accept or reject the auction sale without assigning any reason there of.
5. The Bank is in no way responsible for any dues in respect of tax and any other expenses.
6. For inspection and any other information relating to this auction the intending bidders may contact The Manager, Nyayamitra Sahakari Bank Niyamita, Vakilara Bhavana, 3rd Annexe, City Civil Court Compound, Behind Cauvery Bhavan, K.G.Road, Bengaluru-560009, Phone No.080 – 22217077.
7. The Bank is not responsible for any discrepancy in details of land and building.

Date : 08.03.2022
Place : Bangalore

Sd/-
Authorised Officer
Nyayamitra Sahakari Bank Niyamita

केनरा बैंक Canara Bank

(A Government Of India Undertaking)

Rajajinagar 1st Block Branch
Bengaluru-560010.

DEMAND NOTICE [SECTION 13(2)]
TO BORROWER/ GUARANTOR/MORTGAGOR

NOTICE ISSUED UNDER SECTION 13(2) OF THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002

We, **Canara Bank, Rajajinagar 1st Block Branch, Bengaluru** had issued Demand Notices under Section 13(2) of the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Security Interest Act 2002 by Registered Post with Acknowledgment Due (RPAD) to the addresses furnished to the Bank as mentioned below. Since the notice has not been acknowledgement returned due to non-availability of addresses at the said addresses / due to evading of service of the notices sent by RPAD, notice could not be served. Further, Bank had served the said demand notices by affixture at the addresses given. The contents of the said notices are mentioned herein below.

1. Name and Address of the Borrower / Co-Borrower / Mortgagor / Guarantor : (1) M/s. Bhagwan Mahaveer Jain Prints, No.13, Ground Floor, 2nd Cross, 4th Main, Chamaraj Pet, Bengaluru **(2) Mr. Shantilal Jain** S/o Manmal, Flat No. 202, 1st Floor, Arham Residency, N R Colony, Basavanagudi, Bengaluru. **(3) Mr. Kalpesh Ambani S/o Shantilal Jain,** Flat No. 202, 1st Floor, Arham Residency, N R Colony, Basavanagudi, Bengaluru.

[Details of the credit facility/ies availed by the Borrower]

Loan No.	Nature of Loan	Date of Sanction	Amount	Liability with interest as on Date 22.02.2023	Rate Of Interest
1145747 000001	FITL	24.03.2021	Rs. 15,28,000/-	Rs.9,96,269.47	13.4%
1145753 000006	W C DEMAND LOAN	29.04.2020	Rs. 14,00,000/-	Rs. 14,84,159.68	10.15%
1145755 000031	GECL	26.06.2020	Rs. 29,00,000/-	Rs. 30,88,923.15	9.25%
170003 226022	GECL 1.0	06.01.2022	Rs. 23,80,000/-	Rs. 24,48,545.00	9.25%
114526 1005397	OVERDRAFT LIMIT	29.04.2021	Rs. 1,62,00,000/-	Rs. 1,67,39,434.00	12.05%

Total Liability Amount: Rs.2,47,57,331.30/- (Rupees Two Lakhs Forty Seven Lakhs Fifty Seven Thousand Three Hundred Thirty One and Paise Thirty Only) together with further interest and incidental expenses and costs.

NPA Date : 21.02.2023 **Demand Notice Dated : 22.02.2023**

Schedule-B (Details of Security Assets)

Name of Title Holder : Shantilal Jain S/o Manmal.

Schedule-B (A) Description of entire property on which apartment is constructed : Residential Property earlier bearing number 193, 194, 195 & 196 later amalgamated property No. 196/1-40 situated at sultanpet, Bengaluru measuring East to West on the northern side 63 feet, on the southern side 69 feet and North to South 126 feet and bounded on the : East by : Property of Magaji Narasimha Sa latter Dondale Gangadhara Sa, West by : Corporation Lane, North by : Property of Shetty Ganesha Sa, South by : Sultanpet Main Road.

Schedule-B (B) Description of property owned by Sri. Shanthilal.
Residential Flat bearing number 208 on second floor of the apartment known as "C M Complex" with a super built area of 1070.08 sqft along with 248.86 sqft of undivided share in the share in the site of the Schedule B (A) property and bearing bifurcated Municipal No. 196/25, PID No. 28-185-196/25 constructed on Schedule B (A) property and the flat bounded on the : East by : Passage / Flat No.207, West by : Corporation Lane, North by : Private property, South by : Flat No 205.

You are here by called upon to pay **Canara Bank,** within a period of 60 days from the date of publication of this notice, the respective amount mentioned here above, failing which **Canara Bank** will take necessary action under the provisions of the said Act, against the secured assets including taking possession of the secured assets of the Borrowers and the Guarantors. The powers available to **Canara Bank** under the Act include (i) power to take possession of the secured assets of the Borrower / Guarantors / Mortgager including the rights to transfer by way of lease, assignment or sale for realising secured assets and any transfer of secured assets by **Canara Bank** shall vest in the transferee rights in or in relation to, the secured asset transferred as if the transfer has been made by you. In terms of the provisions of section 13(13) of the said Act, you are hereby prohibited from transferring, either by way of sale, lease or otherwise (other than in the ordinary course of your business), any of the secured assets as referred to in the Demand Notice affixed and also Hypothecated / Mortgaged to the bank without prior written consent of the Bank. The notice is issued in terms of Section (13)2 of the said Act.

Date : 06.03.2023
Place : Bengaluru

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Canara Bank

इंडियन बैंक Indian Bank

इलाहाबाद ALLAHABAD

JP Nagar, Saraki Branch
6, GR Plaza, 24th Main Road, JP Nagar 5th Phase, Bangalore-560078

APPENDIX - IV (Rule-8(1)
POSSESSION NOTICE (for immovable property)

Whereas, the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the **Indian Bank** under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13 (12) read with rule 8 and 9 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a demand notice dated 14.12.2022 Calling upon the borrower **1) Mr. Yash S Sapaliga, S/o Sanjeeva K Sapaliga (Borrower& Mortgagor),** Flat No.07, Ground Floor, "Sai Sumukha Serenity" Apartment, Laggere Village, Yeshwanthapura Hobli, Bengaluru-560058. **2) Mrs. Sowmya Sapaliga W/o Yash S Sapaliga (Co-Borrower & Mortgagor)** Flat No.07, Ground Floor, "Sai Sumukha Serenity" Apartment, Laggere Village, Yeshwanthapura Hobli, Bengaluru-560058 with our **JP Nagar Saraki Branch** to repay the amount mentioned in the notice dated 14.12.2022 being **Rs.31,04,031/- (Rupees thirty one lakhs four thousand and thirty one only)** within 60 days from the date of receipt of the notice.

The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him / her under Section 13 (4) of the said Act read with rule 8 and 9 of the said rules on this **3rd March 2023.**

The borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the **Indian Bank** for an amount of **Rs.31,04,031/- (Rupees Thirty one lakhs four thousand and thirty one only)** and interest & other charges thereon. We draw attention to the provisions of Section 13(8) of the SARFAESI Act and the Rules framed there under which deals with your rights of redemption over the securities.

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

All that part and parcel of the property consisting of Residential flat at Flat No. 07, Ground Floor, "SAI SUMUKHA SERENITY" Apartment, Laggere Village, Yeshwanthapura Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk, Bengaluru- 560058 and Total Area comes to 995 sq.ft along with 362 sq.ft of UDS with one car parking **Boundaries:** North of- Flat No.8, South of - Open to Sky, East of - Flat entrance, West of- Open to Sky.

Date: 03.03.2023
Place: Bengaluru, Karnataka

Authorized Officer
Indian Bank

CAUVERY NEERAVARI NIGAMA LIMITED

(A Govt. of Karnataka Enterprise)
Office of the Executive Engineer, Hemavathy Canal Division,
Yediyur-572 142. Ph: 7338590199
E-mail:eeyediyur1@gmail.com

No.14/2022-23 Date: 28.02.2023

E PEOCUREMENT SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION
(ONE & TWO COVER SYSTEM)

On the behalf of the Managing Director, CNNL, Bangalore, the Executive Engineer, CNNL, Hemavathi Canal. Division, Yediyur the undersigned invites tender on item rate basis from contractors for 50 Work. The Maximum amount put to tender is 58.85 lakhs and minimum amount put tender is 1.68 lakhs.

The Time Fixed for completion the work is 2 to 3 Months. EMD Amount and Processing fees should be paid through e-procurement. The last date for tender Queries/Clarifications is 07.03.2023 up to 5.00 pm, The last date for Receival of tenders along with EMD'S is 09.03.2023 up to 4:00 pm. The technical bid of Tender will be opened on 10.03.2023 at 5:00 pm for two document works and the financial bid of the tender will be opened on 13.03.2023 (After the approval of technical bid) at 5.00pm. The Financila bid of the render will be opened on 10.03.2023 at 5:00 pm for one document works. For more information contact **www.eproc.karnataka. gov.in**

Sd/- Executive Engineer,
Hemavathy Canal Division, CNNL, Yediyur.

DIPR/TUM/1046/KSMCA/2022-23

NYAYAMITRA SAHAKARI BANK NIYAMITA

City Civil Court Branch, City Civil Court Compound, K.G. Road, Bengaluru-560009.

AUCTION SALE OF RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY

Auction Sale under Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 of the under mentioned property mortgaged to the Bank for recovery of the Secured Debt of Rs. 38,93,907/- (Rupees Thirty Eight lakhs Ninety three thousand Nine hundred and Seven Only) as on 08-03-2023 with interest and other charges there on till the debt is cleared.

Date & Time of Auction	16-03-2023 at 2.00 P.M
Place of Auction	Nyayamitra Sahakari Bank Niyamita City Civil Court Branch, City Civil Court Compound, K.G. Road, Bangalore - 560 009.
Reserved Price	Rs.1,66,20,000/-
Name of the Borrower	Sri.Prakasha.K.N
Name of the Mortgage	Sri.Prakasha.K.N
Name of the property Owner	Sri.Prakasha.K.N

SCHEDULE OF THE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the Western portion of House property bearing No.12, in Assessment NO.152, Katha No.258, New No.258/152/5, measuring East to West 20 feet and North to South 140 feet totally measuring 2800 Sq.ft., consisting of 10 square ground floor, RCC roofed house, situated at Ullalu Village, Yeshwanthapura Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk, Bengaluru, now comes under the limits of BBMP and bounded on the: East by : Property belongs to H.C.Premakumari, West by : Property belongs to Mallikarjunaiah, North by :Property belongs to Hanumantharaju, South by : Road.

TERMS AND CONDITION OF SALE

1. The Bidder should deposit EMD of Rs.10,000/- and obtain the Receipt well before the time of auction and the successful bidder fails to fulfill the condition of auction the EMD shall be forfeited.
2. The successful bidder has to pay 25% of the bid amount (inclusive of EMD) on the same day by way of cash or DD and the remaining amount shall be paid with in 15 days of the auction.
3. The successful bidder should bear all the expenses connected with registration/transfer etc.
4. The authorized officer may accept or reject the auction sale without assigning any reason there of.
5. The Bank is in no way responsible for any dues in respect of tax and any other expenses.
6. For inspection and any other information relating to this auction the intending bidders may contact The Manager, Nyayamitra Sahakari Bank Niyamita, Vakilara Bhavana, 3rd Annexe, City Civil Court Compound, Behind Cauvery Bhavan, K.G.Road, Bengaluru-560009, Phone No.080 – 22217077.
7. The Bank is not responsible for any discrepancy in details of land and building.

Date : 08.03.2022
Place : Bangalore

Sd/-
Authorised Officer
Nyayamitra Sahakari Bank Niyamita

NYAYAMITRA SAHAKARI BANK NIYAMITA

City Civil Court Branch, City Civil Court Compound, K.G. Road, Bengaluru-560009.

AUCTION SALE OF RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY

Auction Sale under Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 of the under mentioned property mortgaged to the Bank for recovery of the Secured Debt of Rs. 15,92,952/- (Rupees Fifteen lakhs Ninety-two thousand Nine hundred and Fifty two Only) as of 08-03-2023 with interest and other charges there on till the debt is cleared.

Date & Time of Auction	16-03-2023 at 11.00 A.M.,
Place of Auction	Nyayamitra Sahakari Bank Niyamita City Civil Court Branch, City Civil Court Compound, K.G. Road, Bangalore - 560 009.
Reserved Price	Rs.36,96,000/-
Name of the Borrower	Sri. K.N.Gowda
Name of the Mortgage	Sri. K.N.Gowda
Name of the property Owner	Sri. K.N.Gowda

SCHEDULE OF THE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the residential House Property bearing Southern portion of Site No.5, House List Katha No.312/4, situated at Kalkere Village, K.R.Puram Hobli, erstwhile Bengaluru South Taluk, now Bengaluru East Taluk, comes under the jurisdiction of BBMP, Vide Katha H.L. No.312/4, measuring east to west 30 feet, north to south 20 feet, totally measuring 600 Sq.ft. with newly constructed RCC roofed ground and first floor fully furnished residential building with all civic amenities and bounded on: East by : Site No.4, West by : Site No.6, North by : Remaining portion of same site No.5, and South by : Road.

TERMS AND CONDITION OF SALE

1. The Bidder should deposit EMD of Rs.10,000/- and obtain the Receipt well before the time of auction and the successful bidder fails to fulfill the condition of auction the EMD shall be forfeited.
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Date : 08.03.2022
Place : Bangalore

Sd/-
Authorised Officer
Nyayamitra Sahakari Bank Niyamita

GOVERNMENT OF TAMIL NADU
DEPARTMENT OF TEXTILES

TENDER NOTICE FOR PURCHASE OF POLYESTER STAPLE FIBRE

Sealed tenders under two cover system in the prescribed format are invited from manufacturers for the Purchase of 1 Denier x 32 mm Polyester Staple Fibre for Cooperative Spinning Mills.

Required Quantity in MT	Earnest Money Deposit in (Rs.)	Sale period	Last date and time for receipt of tender	Date and time of opening of Tender
1231 M.T	Rs 3,00,000/-	09.03.2023 to 16.03.2023 upto 10.30 a.m	16.03.2023 upto 11.00 a.m	16.03.2023 at 12.00 Noon

Eligibility of the Tenderer and Other conditions are stipulated in the Tender Schedule which can be downloaded at **free of cost** from Government tender website **www.tenders.tn.gov.in** or by post on request with a Demand Draft – Rs.5700/- in favour of "Tender Committee for Modernisation of Cooperative Spinning Mills" payable at Chennai City (inclusive of 12% GST). Other details may be obtained in the tender schedule.

Contact : Joint Director (Admin & Spinning)
Telephone : 044-45020047
Email ID : jointdirectortextiles2020@gmail.com

DIPR/ 1489 /TENDER/2023

Joint Director (Spinning) /
Tender Inviting Authority

BRUHAT BENGALURU MAHANAGARA PALIKE

Office of the Executive Engineer, Pulikeshinagar Division, BBMP Office Building, Robertson Road, Frazer Town, Bengaluru.

No.:EE/PN/TEND/26/2022-23 **Date:07.03.2023**

SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION
(Through GOK e-Procurement Portal only)

The Executive Engineer, Pulikeshinagar Division, invites tenders from eligible tenderers for the works detailed in the table below:

Sl. No.	Name of the Work	Approx. Value of Work (Rs. in lakhs)	EMD (in Rs.)
1	Improvements of Roads and Drains at 4th Cross, Malik Sab Road and surrounding area in Ward No. 77, D.J. Halli **(For General Category)**.	13.00	32,500/-

1) Tender documents may be downloaded from GoK e-procurement portal from **08.03.2023 onwards. 2)** Last date for submission of tenders: **15.03.2023 upto 4:00 p.m. 3)** Opening of Tenders: **17.03.2023 at 11.00 a.m.** if possible. Further details can be accessed from GoK e-procurement website: **https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in** or e-procurement helpdesk : 080-25485867/22485927 or contact the office of the undersigned.

Sd/- Executive Engineer, Pulikeshinagar Division.

Government of Karnataka

Rural Development & Panchayat Department
Rural Water Supply and Sanitation Division, Chitradurga
Phone No.: 08194-234488 e-mail: eerdwsd.chd@gmail.com
No.: R.W.S.&S./D/C/EE/B4/Tender/2337/2022-23 Date: 02.03.2023

Tender Notice

On behalf of the Hon'ble Governor of Karnataka tender is invited in single cover system, through e-procurement portal, subject to Standard Tender Document KW-4 Conditions, from eligible class registered contractors registered with Superintending Engineer, Panchayat Raj Engineering Circle, Davanagere/Chief Engineer, Panchayat Raj Engineering Department, Bengaluru for 01 work of Rs. 62.98 lakhs in the limits of Challakere Taluk, 02 works of Rs. 92.57 lakhs in the limts of Hiriyuru Taluk under Swachh Bharat Mission and D.M.F. Scheme for the year 2022-23. Last date for submission of Tender: 17.03.2023, 4.00 PM. Date of opening the Technical Bid: 18.03.2023 at 4.30 PM and Date of opening the Financial Bid: 21.03.2023 at 11.00 AM. Details of the work are published in website https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in and for further information contact the Executive Engineer, R.W.S & S. Division, Chitradurga during working hours of the office.

DIPR/CTA/KSMCA/ 1105/2022-23

Executive Engineer,
R.D.W.S. & S. Division, Chitradurga

ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ನೀರಾವರಿ ನಿಗಮ ನಿಯಮಿತ

(ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ಉದ್ಯಮ)
ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಅಭಿಯಂತರರವರ ಕಚೇರಿ ಕನೀನಿನಿ, ಮಬದಕಾನಿ ವಿಭಾಗ ನಂ. 3 ಬ್ಯಾಹಟ್ಟಿ, ತಾ:: ಹುಬ್ಬಳ್ಳಿ, ಜಿ: ಧಾರವಾಡ 580023.

e-mail :- knnl@knnlindia.com ಫೋನ್ :0836–2315225 ಫ್ಯಾಕ್ಸ್:2315226.
Website:- www.knnlindia.com e-mail :-eemrbcc3byt@gmail.com

ಸಂ.ಕನೀನಿನಿ/ಮಬದವಿ–3/ಎ.ಇ–1/ಇ–ಟೆಂಡರ/2022–23/3141 ದಿ:07/03/2023

ಅಲ್ಪಾವಧಿ ಟೆಂಡರ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ (3ನೇ ಕರೆ)
(ಇ–ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ ಪೋರ್ಟಲ್ ಮುಖಾಂತರ)

ವ್ಯವಸ್ಥಾಪಕ ನಿರ್ದೇಶಕರು, ಕನೀನಿನಿ, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ರವರ ಪರವಾಗಿ ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಇಂಜನೀಯರ್ ಕನೀನಿನಿ, ಮಬದಕಾನಿ ವಿಭಾಗ ಸಂ.3, ಬ್ಯಾಹಟ್ಟಿ ವ್ಯಾಪ್ತಿಯ 4701 M & MI ಲೆಕ್ಕಶೀರ್ಷಿಕೆ ಅಡಿ ಈ ಕೆಳಗೆ ನಮೂದಿಸಿರುವ ಇಂಡೆಂಟ ನಂಬರಿನ 01 ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗೆ (3ನೇ ಕರೆ) ಶೇಕಡಾವಾರು ಟೆಂಡರನ್ನು ದ್ವಿಲಕೋಟೆ ಪದ್ಧತಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಇ–ಪ್ರೋಕ್ಯೂರಮೆಂಟ ಮೂಲಕ ಆಹ್ವಾನಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ.

Work Indent No :–35806(3ನೇ ಕರೆ)
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ಇ.ಎಂ.ಡಿ ಮೊತ್ತ:– ರೂ.29.54 ಲಕ್ಷಗಳು

ಇ–ಪೋರ್ಟಲ್ ಮೂಲಕ ಟೆಂಡರಗಳನ್ನು **ದಿನಾಂಕ: 18/03/2023** ರ **4.00 pm** ತನಕ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಬಹುದಾಗಿದೆ. ತಾಂತ್ರಿಕ ಬಿಡ್ ತೆರೆಯುವ **ದಿನಾಂಕ: 20/03/2023** ರಂದು **ಮುಂಜಾನೆ: 11.00 am** ರಿಂದ. ಮತ್ತು ಪ್ರೀ ಬಿಡ್ ಸಭೆ **ದಿನಾಂಕ: 14/03/2023** ರಂದು ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಇಂಜನೀಯರರು, ಕನೀನಿನಿ ಮಬದಕಾನಿ ವಿಭಾಗ ಸಂ.3 ಬ್ಯಾಹಟ್ಟಿ ಕಚೇರಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಹಾಗೂ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿವಾರು ಇತರೆ ವಿವರಗಳನ್ನು ಇ–ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ ಪೋರ್ಟಲ್ ವೆಬಸೈಟ್ ಮುಖೇನ **http://eproc.karnataka.gov.in** ಮೂಲಕ ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದಾಗಿದೆ. ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ಮಾಹಿತಿಗಾಗಿ ಈ ಕಚೇರಿ ದೂರವಾಣಿ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: 0836–2315225 ನ್ನು ಕಚೇರಿಯ ವೇಳೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಸಂಪರ್ಕಿಸಬಹುದಾಗಿದೆ.

ಸಹಿ/–ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಇಂಜನೀಯರರು
ಕನೀನಿನಿ, ಮಬದಕಾನಿ ವಿಭಾಗ ನಂ. 3 ಬ್ಯಾಹಟ್ಟಿ

ವಾ.ಸಾ.ಇ/ಧಾ/1220/2022–23/ದೇಶಪಾಂಡೆಪಬ್ಲಿಸಿಟಿ

BRUHAT BENGALURU MAHANAGARA PALIKE

Office of the Senior Assistant Director of Horticulture - Mahadevapura Zone, Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike, Bengaluru-560036

No.: SADH(MZ)/TENDER/PR/06/2022-23 **Date: 07.03.2023**

SHORT TERM TENDER

(Two Cover System) (Through e-Procurement Portal Only)
The Horticulture Superintendent (Mahadevapura), (Referred to as Employer in these documents) invites tender in accordance with KTPP rules 2000, from eligible and experienced Person / Agencies / Firms (Referred to as Tenderers in these documents) registered in labour department for Providing Housekeeping Services to Toilet in Parks, Borewell Maintenance, Watering for Parks and Maintenance of Parks in Mahadevapura Zone.

Sl. No.	Name of the Work	Estimated amount (Rs.)
	1st Called - Borewell Maintenance Works	
1	Repair & Maintenance of Borewell & Submersible Pumpset to Parks in Mahadevapura Zone in **Ward No. 52, Category: Others**	17,50,000/-
	1st Called - Watering for Parks and Medians	
2	Mahadevapura and KR Pura constituency of Mahadevapura Zone in **Ward No. 85, Category: Others**	8,82,411/-

EMD Amount of Rs. **17,850/-** (Seventeen thousand eight hundred and fifty only) should be paid in e-procurement portal.

Calendar of Events: (1) The tender document can be downloaded from the e-procurement portal of the Government of Karnataka **https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in (2)** Tender Closing Date : **17.03.2023. (3)** Technical bid opening date: **20.03.2023** at **11:00 a.m.** onwards. **(4)** Financial bid opening date: **21.03.2023** (If Possible). Further details may be obtained from the above office, during office hours or website **https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in**

Sd/- Senior Assistant Director of Horticulture (Mahadevapura Zone), BBMP

GREATER VISAKHAPATNAM MUNICIPAL CORPORATION

'e' Procurement Tender Notice No: 81/2022-23/SE(W-II)/EE-IV/DB/GVMC, Dt: 07-03-2023

Number of works-02, Value of works: Rs.313.53 Lakhs
Tender Opening Date: 07-03-2023, Closing Date : 14-03-2023
Note : Further details at http://www.tender.apeprocurement.gov.in
O/o the EE-IV, Cell No.8187897572

Sd/-xxxx
For Commissioner, GVMC

KARNATAKA POWER TRANSMISSION CORPORATION LIMITED

(CIN : U40109KA1999SGC025521)

No.CEE/TRZ/SEE(O)/AEE-3/22-23/13093-95 **Dated: 06.03.2023**

SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION
(E-Procurement Mode Only)

KPCL invites bid against enquiry No. KPTCL/CEE/TKR/TZ/CEP-237 Dtd: 06.03.2023 for Providing Manpower Services of 2 Nos of office attendants required to the O/o Chief Engineer Electy, Transmission Zone, KPTCL, Tumakuru as per Annexure-1.

The bids will be received through E-procurement mode only. The detailed notification regarding the subject enquiry in the E-procurement process can be obtained by logging into e-procurement website https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in or to KPTCL website https://kptcl.karnataka.gov.in & click on hyperlink "e-procurement-KPTCL on or after 09.03.2023. Other details can be obtained from the office of the undersigned during office hours.

Sd/- Chief Engineer, Electy., Transmission Zone, KPTCL,
1st Floor, Siddaganga Complex,
B.H.Road, Tumakuru -572102. Ph: 0816-2270295.

Karnataka Neeravari Nigam Limited

(A Government of Karnataka Enterprise)

Office of the Executive Engineer,
KNNL,Dandavathi Reservoir Project Division, Shikaripura. Ph. 08187-222206

Short Tender Notification-73/2022-23 Date: 04-03-2023 (Call-2)
Ref: Tender Notification-29/2019-20 Date: 05-02-2020
(Two Tender Document & E-Procurement System only)

Short term percentage tender are invited as per K.T.P.P Act- 2000 on behalf of Managing Director KNNL Bangalore by the Executive Engineer, KNNL DRP, Division Shikaripura from eligible contractors such as **KPWD Class-III & Above.** The tenderers are required to submit tenders only through E-procurement portal of Govt of Karnataka **(http:// www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in).**

Improvements to roads in Shikaripura Taluk Works for Amount put to tender Rs. **64.76** lakhs and EMD Rs. **0.65** lakhs.

1) Date of downloading & submission of tender (through e-procurement) will be on **06-03-2023** to **14-03-2023** up to **5.00 PM**
2) Opening of technical bid will be on **16-03-2023 @ 11.00 AM.**
3) Technical bid will be opened after approval of technical bid.

For more details visit website from date-**06-03-2023** at **(http://www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in)**.OR undersigned in all working days during office hours.

Sd/-
Executive Engineer.
KNNL, DRP., Division, Shikaripura

DIPR/SMG/No.39/ZEN/2022-23

केनरा बैंक Canara Bank

(A Government Of India Undertaking)

GARDEN CITY BRANCH BENGALURU

POSSESSION NOTICE Section 13(4) (For Immovable Property)

Whereas: The undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the **Canara Bank**, under Securitization And Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (Act 54 of 2002) and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued a Demand Notice dated **30.12.2022** calling upon the borrower **(1) Smt. V.M.Vandana (Borrower)** W/o Sri.M.Murali Reddy, **(2) Sri.M.Murali Reddy (Co-Borrower)** S/o M.Kesavulu Reddy to repay the amount mentioned in the notice, being **Rs. 78,65,351.24** (Rupees Seventy Eight Lakhs Sixty Five Thousand Three Hundred & Fifty One and Twenty four Paise only) within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general, that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him / her under section 13 (4) of the said Act, read with Rule 8 & 9 of the said Rule on this **4th day of March of the year 2023.**

The borrower in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the **Canara Bank** for an amount of **Rs. 78,65,351.24** (Rupees Seventy Eight Lakhs Sixty Five Thousand Three Hundred & Fifty One and Twenty four Paise only) and interest thereon.

Description of the Immovable Property

Mortgaged Property standing in the name/s of Smt. V.M.Vandana W/o Sri.M.Murali Reddy and Sri.M.Murali Reddy S/o M.Kesavulu Reddy
All that piece and parcel of immovable property Site No. 09, Property No. 43, Khata No. 103, New Katha No. 103/84/9, PID No. 150200400500200128, Kurudusonnenahalli Village, Bidarahalli Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, Bangalore, measuring East to West: 30 feet, and North to South : 35 feet and totally measuring 1050 Sq.ft, along with Residential House roofed along with built up area consisting of ground floor 800 Sqft, First Floor 800 Sq.ft, Second Floor 800 Sqft, Third Floor 400 Sqft, in all measuring totally built up area 2800 Sqft, along with vitrified flooring, and main door & windows honnee/mathi wood. Bounded by : East : Site No. 10, West : Road, North : Site No. 08, South : Road.

Date : 04.03.2023
Place : Bangalore

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Canara Bank

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEPARTMENT OF SPACE

INDIAN SPACE RESEARCH ORGANISATION (ISRO)
ISRO-TELEMETRY TRACKING & COMMAND NETWORK (ISTRAC)
(CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE GROUP)
Plot No.12&13, 3rd Main, 2nd Phase, Peenya Industrial Estate, Bengaluru-58.
Fax: 080-28094180, Ph: 080-28094195, 080-28094183, 080-28094541

BRIEF TENDER NOTICE E-TENDER

Oh behalf of President of India, sealed item rate e-tenders are invited online from contractors of appropriate class for following work in NIT by Group Head, ISTRAC, ISRO, Peenya, Bengaluru-58.

Name of work	**Refurbishment of GSNA laboratories (Integration lab Servo/Baseband lab and lab opposite to Telemetry hall) at Central Block SCC Campus ISTRAC, Bengaluru(Electrical works)**
e-tenders notice	**ISTRAC/CMG/MAINT/E/e-tender-95/ 2022-23 Dated: 02.03.2023**
Estimated Cost put ot tender	**Rs. 13.66 lakhs**
Tender Document details	**e-Tender**
Period of Completion in months reckoned from the 15th day of date of issue of work order	**02 months**
Period during which the tender documents can be downloaded	From: **06.03.2023 to 17.03.2023 till 16.00 hrs.**
Bid clarifications	From: **07.03.2023 to 18.03.2023 till 16.00 hrs.**
Last date & time of reply to Bid clarification	**20.03.2023 up to 16.00 hrs.**
Last date & time for receipt of tenders	**22.03.2023 up to 16.00 hrs.**
Due date & time of opening of tenders	**24.03.2023 after 11.00 hrs.**
EMD	**Rs. 27,320/-.**

Interested tenderers may please refer Detailed Notice Inviting Tender (NIT) for eligibility criteria and other details from website: **www.isro.gov.in** and download the tender documents from **www.tenderwizard.com/ISRO**

Sd/- Group Head-CMG

EDITORIAL

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— Ramnath Goenka

CLOSE CHASM OF INEQUALITY TO MATCH PER CAPITA INCOME RISE

It is good to know that India's per capita income doubled to ₹1.72 lakh from ₹86,647 in FY2015 when the current Narendra Modi government took charge. Though these figures, released by the National Statistical Office (NSO), are the nominal average annual income of an individual, not considering the impact of inflation, they show the country has registered significant economic growth. Even in real terms, taking constant prices, income has increased by 35% from ₹72,808 in 2014–15 to ₹98,118 in 2022–23. The NSO data also shows a significant negative impact on individual incomes because of the lockdowns during the Covid period, when both nominal and real income dipped sharply. However, since April 2021, there has been a strong positive rebound.

Translating this into an annual snapshot, government policies and individual entrepreneurship have ensured the country's per capita income in real terms has been growing at 5.6% per annum. Policies encouraging financial inclusion, such as the distribution of free rations under the Right to Food programme, and the cash transfer to farmers of ₹6,000 a year under the PM-KISAN scheme, have had a positive impact. However, scratch the surface, and it will be seen that rising income levels are mostly restricted to the 10% of the richest Indians. For those at the bottom of the pyramid, real incomes may have, in fact, been shrinking over the years.

The rising inequality is, therefore, a huge source of worry. A report released on January 16 this year by the charity Oxfam at Davos says between 2012 and 2021, 40% of the wealth created in India has gone to just 1% of the population, and only a mere 3% of the wealth has accrued to the poorest 50%. The report *Survival of the Richest: The India story* also says that while the total number of dollar billionaires in India increased from 102 in 2020 to 166 in 2022, the number of those who went to bed hungry increased to 350 million in 2022 from 190 million in 2018. Malnutrition continues to be a major cause of death among children, while the increasing rural-urban divide triggers mass migration from our villages to overcrowded cities. The government must therefore ensure justice through the redistribution of wealth and focus on raising the income levels of those being crushed by poverty at the end of the scale.

BEWARE OF NEW BUG, DON'T SELF-MEDICATE

A heady mix of viruses seems to be sweeping parts of India. West Bengal has reported a spate of child fatalities believed to have been caused by adenovirus, prompting the state government to assuage parents' growing fear as hospitals became increasingly occupied. Elsewhere, illness caused by H3N2, an Influenza A subtype, has seen a rapid surge. Footprints of respiratory syncytial virus have also been found. If doctors are to go by, the Influenza B subtype, too, has been detected around the same time. Much of these viral infections, which remained dormant during the Covid pandemic, appear to have returned with a vengeance and the 'cold bug' has shown a sudden uptick. However, it is the H3N2 infection which has raised the hackles among the healthcare community, and the ICMR has also issued an advisory. Interestingly, the eastern state of Odisha first reported the H3N2 outbreak during the fag end of 2022, since the seasonal flu peaks in winter. The H3N2 has since replaced the slowly dominant H1N1 count, leading to lasting complications in patients. As per ICMR data, 10% of the H3N2 affected need oxygen support, while about 7% require intensive care.

So far, the adenovirus outbreak has been limited to West Bengal, and the Mamata Banerjee government has announced that the caseload is on the wane and the situation is under control. But other states must also adopt adequate caution. However, given the infectiousness of H3N2 and its bundle of complications, this Influenza A subtype must be given adequate attention. One of the challenges with H3N2 is the limited testing facilities available in the government sector, while in private establishments, the diagnostic cost is prohibitive. Medical practitioners must advise tests so as to encourage patients not to take the self-medication route. ICMR has already flagged the mindless use of self-prescribed antibiotics, but it is necessary that governments—Centre and states—mount surveillance and sensitisation.

The flu caused by H3N2 is preventable through annual vaccination, upgraded yearly based on the varying strains—unlike adenovirus-induced illness, which does not have a vaccine. For that to happen, a concerted effort is the need of the hour. Covid has already left its "long" impression on a vast populace, and other evolving and mutating viruses must not be allowed to add to the burden.

QUICK TAKE

NO PLACE TO PLAY

The SC recently observed there couldn't be a school without a playground because students are entitled to a good environment. Just so the judiciary knows, the latest data shows that over three lakh schools in the country lack a playground. The RTE Act deemed playgrounds an essential infrastructural necessity. But the fact is, schools in crowded urban areas barely have space for classrooms. The government allows them to rent out public parks or adjoining vacant grounds. Parents shell out extra, though. As urban spaces shrink, the only option is mandatory public sports complexes in residential localities for regular use by children.

The story of women's emancipation in the country has proceeded painfully slowly, but on the positive side in only one direction and has never made a U-turn

HER STORY, MY STORY: WHY I AM HOPEFUL ABOUT GENDER JUSTICE

DROUPADI MURMU
President of India

SOUMYADIP SINHA

On Constitution Day last year, I was delivering the valedictory address at the celebrations organised by the Supreme Court of India. Talking of justice, I thought of the undertrial prisoners and then could not resist speaking about their plight. I spoke from the heart, and it made an impact. On International Women's Day today, I want to share some thoughts with you in the same spirit—straight from the heart.

Right from my childhood days, I have remained perplexed about the status of women in society. On the one hand, a girl child receives so much love from all around her and is even worshipped on auspicious days. On the other hand, she learns very soon that the possibilities open before her in life are fewer than those available to boys her age.

On the one hand, a woman is respected for her innate wisdom, even appreciated as the central figure of the family who takes care of everybody. On the other hand, she has a limited role, if at all, in nearly all significant decisions about the family or even herself.

Over the years, as I stepped out of home, first as a student, then as a teacher and later in social service, I could not help but wonder about such paradoxical attitudes. Sometimes I felt that as individuals, most of us recognise men and women as equal. However, collectively, the same people impose limits on half of us. During my lifetime, I have seen most individuals progressing towards the notion of equality. However, old customs and traditions, like old habits, linger on at the social level.

This is the story of all women around the world. Every other human being on earth begins life with a kind of hindrance. In the 21st century, when we have achieved unimaginable all-around progress, many nations are yet to have a woman as the head of the state or head of the government. At the other end of the spectrum, unfortunately, there are places in the world where even today, women are considered lesser human beings; even going to school can be a question of life and death for a girl!

This was not always so. In India, there were times when women were decision-makers. Our scriptures and history talk of women known for their valour, scholarship or administrative skills. Today, again, countless women are, of course, contributing to nation-building in their chosen fields. They are heading corporate firms and even serving in the armed forces. The only difference is that they have to prove their worth in two domains—they have to excel in their careers and homes. They do not complain, but all they expect from society is that it reposes confidence in them.

This leads to a curious situation. We have a healthy representation of women at the grassroots level in various decision-making structures. But as we go up in the hierarchy, we see fewer and fewer women. This is as true for political bodies as for the bureaucracy, the judiciary and the corporate world. What is noticeable is that even the states with higher literacy rates display the same trend. It shows that education alone does not guarantee financial and political autonomy for women.

Therefore, I firmly believe that the social mindset needs to be changed. The deeply ingrained gender prejudices must be identified and purged to create a peaceful and prosperous society. Conscious efforts have been made to promote social justice and equality. But these steps have not proved adequate to ensure gender representation. In education and jobs, for example, women lag far behind men more because of social conditioning than any design.

In several convocations that I attended in different parts of the country, I have noticed that women, if given a chance, often outperform men in academia. It is this indomitable spirit of Indian women and our society that gives me confidence about India emerging as the torchbearer of gender justice in the world.

It is certainly not the case that one half of humanity has had any head start by keeping the other half behind. The fact is that this mismatch is hurting the whole of humanity because the two wheels of its cart are unequal. Economic progress and climate action would also increase if women were included in decision-making. I am sure that the world will be a much better place if women are made equal stakeholders in the progress of humanity.

I am, indeed, hopeful that the future is bright. I have seen in my life that people change and attitudes change. That is indeed the story of our race; otherwise, we would still be living in caves.

The story of women's emancipation has proceeded slowly, often painfully slow, but it has proceeded only in one direction and has never made a U-turn. That gives me the confidence to believe, as I have often stated, that the coming *Amrit Kaal* up to the centenary of India's Independence belongs to young women.

What makes me hopeful is that we as a nation began with a sound foundation of gender justice. About a century ago, Mahatma Gandhi's campaigns during the freedom struggle encouraged women to cross the threshold and step out into the world. Since then, our society and women, in particular, have aspired to build a better future. Prejudices and customs not favourable to women are done away with either through legislation or awareness. This seemed to have a positive impact as Parliament today has the highest number of women's representation.

Needless to say, my election as the President of the world's largest democracy is a part of the saga of women's empowerment. I believe the spirit of "innate leadership in motherhood" needs to be invoked to promote gender justice. A slew of government programmes to directly empower women, such as *Beti Bachao Beti Padhao*, are steps in the right direction.

We should also appreciate that societies take time to match steps with the best of progressive ideas. But societies are composed of human beings—half of them women—and it is up to us, each of us, to hasten the progress.

Thus, today, I wish to urge each of you to commit yourself to one change in your family, neighbourhood or workplace—any change that would bring a smile to a girl's face, any change that would improve her chances of moving ahead in life. As I said before, that is one request straight from the heart.

DIALECTIC OF IMPLEMENTING AND OPPOSING NATIONAL EDU POLICY

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Is it mandatory for all the states to implement the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020? Many teachers and parents ask, especially from Tamil Nadu and Kerala. The Tamil Nadu and Kerala governments are strongly opposing the implementation of NEP 2020. West Bengal and Telangana are also coy about the implementation. Tamil Nadu has even reached the court, raising concerns about certain provisions of the policy. Asking TN to implement the National Education Policy is cruel, said the TN government in the Madras High Court. Kerala, on the other hand, appointed a committee under the leadership of leading Left intellectual Prof. Prabhat Patnaik, to scrutinise how congruent NEP 2020 was to the government's declared stands. The question is pertinent: do states have a constitutional obligation to implement NEP 2020?

The repercussions of the first National Policy on Education (NPE) in 1968 spurred discussions on transfering education from the state list and to the concurrent list. There were vehement protests in Tamil Nadu against the NPE of 1968, which suggested that Hindi be taught in schools along with English and the local language. Tamil Nadu was reluctant to implement the National Policy on Education although the Constitution gave it the power to do so by allocating education to the state list. A series of protests erupted in the state under the leadership of Annadurai against the trilingual policy recommended by the NPE of 1968. The resistance had the effect of making Indira Gandhi's brows contract into a frown—during Emergency, she indiscreetly lugged education from the state list to concurrent list.

The history of national policies on education (1968 and 1986) shows that the onus of implementing the policy is not legally binding on the states as there is no trace of litigations between states and the Centre in this matter. Due to various political, linguistic and social reasons, India has a history of not being able to fully implement these policies. For example, the policy of 1986 suggested that every state should start an open university. But in Kerala, an open university was started in 2020. Tamil Nadu never embraced the proposal to teach Hindi as a second or third language. Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalayas in all districts was a major directive of the NPE of 1986. But Tamil Nadu did not encourage such schools to come up—till date, not a single Jawahar Navodaya school exists in this state. There are cases in which the Central government itself ignored the recommendations of the National Policy on Education. The government did not take seriously the 1986 policy's recommendation that an agency should be set up to conduct assessments and evaluations at the national level. Only in 2017 did an organisation called the National Testing Agency get established at the national level. This was due to the pressing need for a professional institution to conduct high-stakes examinations rather than the need to implement the directives of the NPE of 1986.

> Some pro-NEP actions have started brewing from oppugnant states these days. The best example is Kerala's higher education minister announcing that four-year undergraduate courses, a major proposal in the National Education Policy, will start this year

We have a history of keeping aside the constitutional provisions. Article 45 stated that compulsory and free education shall be provided to all children up to the age of 14 *within ten years* of the commencement of the Constitution. Unfortunately, in 1966, a few years after the Constitution celebrated its 10th year of implementation, the all India enrollment ratio in primary school disparaged Article 45 with just 76.7, while middle school and secondary school ratios stood at 30.8 and 16.2, respectively. (MHRD, 2008). The Right to Education bill made education a fundamental right of children only in 2010.

Even when there is no legal obligation, state governments are forced to implement certain recommendations of NEP 2020. For example, NEP 2020 recommends that the school structure be divided into four levels: Foundational, Preparatory, Middle and Secondary (5+3+3+4). National institutes like IITs, NITs, other central institutes and universities admit students who followed the 10+2 system for graduate admission—this would later on be revised to 5+3+3+4. Therefore, in the future, the states reluctant to implement structural changes in the school system would make aspiring students and parents distressed. Naturally, a torrent of students can be expected from state schools to CBSE schools in these states.

Other recommendations of NEP that may become popular in the field of higher education are the suggestions of an Academic Bank of Credit (ABC), a four-year degree, multiple entry and exit points, and Integrated Teacher Education Programme, all addressing the demands of the labour market. ABC and multiple entry and exit options are alluring offers for the latent labour force in higher education institutions. Besides, if the projects implemented at the national level are not followed at the state level, the financial assistance given on its behalf will also be lost. Further, the structural reforms in schools, reforms in teacher education, and ranking and grading in higher education, are other areas that have significant impact on the institutions and students of oppugnant states.

Some pro-NEP actions have started brewing from oppugnant states these days. The best example is Kerala's higher education minister announcing that four-year undergraduate courses, a major proposal in the National Education Policy, will start this year despite the Kerala government's strong opposition to NEP. The universities in Tamil Nadu have already started adopting some features of the policy. It is a win-win situation for the oppugnant states. Anna University registered for ABC and is the 71st institution to do so among 307 state universities. Many universities from oppugnant states are also figuring in the list, like Cochin University of Science and Technology in Kerala. Needless to say, implement it while opposing vehemently! After all, the oxymoron is a part and parcel of politics.

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God protects believers

Apropos of *The power of Prahlad's unflinching devotion* (Mar 6). The writer has delivered a strong message that God takes care of his true *bhakts*; Prahlad calmly confronts the trials and tribulations that his non-believer father inflicts on him. The article concludes with the punishment of the *asura* by Narasimha avatar and the installation of Prahlad as king.
Haribandhu Panigrahi, Tarbha

Family drama in business

Tulsi Jayakumar's *'Family' in Indian family businesses is key to growth* (Mar 7) is extremely well researched and all points have been covered with utmost clarity. Competition is very high, and younger generations are not willing to put in as much time and energy. Most of the time, seniors don't delegate responsibilities as there are major ego issues.
Daya Patel, email

They don't walk the talk

Kaleeswaram Raj's *Fraternity, a constitutional virtue gone amiss* (Mar 6) is the reality and painful to read. Our politicians are crazy for power, money and fame. They don't respect the Constitution and they don't walk the talk. We need someone like Ambedkar and Swami Vivekanada to sit on the highest chair of our country, since even some judgments depend on politics and get diluted.
Dr Indra Getzy David, Tirunelveli

Saving our children

Apropos of *Radical mindset change a must to stop suicides* (Mar 7). As has been mentioned, a holistic approach is necessary to reduce suicide rates. Helping children develop self-esteem and confidence should be an integral part of parenting and school education. Counseling must be a part of the curricula at all levels of education. A joint commitment and a political will go a long way to stop deaths by suicide.
P Prema, Thanjavur

This Holi, burn discrimination

Apropos of *Two Dalit houses set ablaze in Haveri, no casualties* (Mar 7). That caste has such a significant influence in society is something we cannot forget. We cannot ignore what is happening to the minorities. Holika Dahan should call for burning caste differences.
Ananya Das, Bengaluru

Pinarayi's whims

Apropos of *CM vows to protect free media, but with a rider* (Mar 7). There is a wide gap between his words and deeds. CPM is intolerant of even healthy criticism. The reality is that anti-incumbency feelings are mounting against his unethical rule.
B V K Thampi, Thiruvananthapuram

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TWEETS OF THE DAY

Temjen Imna Along @AlongImna
Grateful to Hon PM, Home Minister, @BJP4India President & CM of Assam for their presence during swearing-in ceremony of CM, Ministers of Nagaland

Supriya Sule @supriya_sule
Congratulations to Narendra Verma, General Secretary of NCP's North East Region, and newly elected MLAs on their success in Nagaland Assembly polls

Aaditya Thackeray @AUThackeray
Congratulated @PradyotManikya for a fabulous performance in Tripura. I pray he gets a chance soon to bring his vision to action in the State. Tiprasa!

Rahul equates RSS with Muslim Brotherhood

Collapse of Indian democracy will play out at global level, he says

PREETHA NAIR @New Delhi

SHARPENING his attack on BJP's ideological mentor Rashtriya Swayamsevak Sangh (RSS), Congress leader Rahul Gandhi called it a "fundamentalist and fascist" organisation. He said RSS captured all of India's institutions such as the press, judiciary, Parliament and the Election Commission.

Gandhi made the allegations during an interactive session at the 'Chatham House think-tank in London' on Monday.

"RSS is a secret society and it is built along the lines of the Muslim Brotherhood. When I joined politics in 2004, the democratic contest in India used to be between political parties. I'd never imagined at that time that the nature of the contest would change completely. The reason it has changed is that one organisation, called the RSS — fundamentalist, fascist organisation — has captured all of India's institutions," said the Wayanad MP.

Rahul Gandhi during an interaction at the Chatham House in London | PTI

After coming under attack from BJP over his statement that the US and Europe are oblivious to eroding democracy, he chose to adopt a nuanced position during the interaction.

"This is an internal problem and the solution should come from inside. However, the scale of Indian democracy means that Indian democracy is a public good. We will deal with our problem. If Indian democracy collapses, it will impact way farther than our borders. You must be aware that the biggest idea of the democratic model is under attack and it will play out at the global level."

On the party's electoral setbacks in the past few years, he said that a set of changes taking place in India had caught the Congress off guard.

To say that the BJP is in power and the Congress gone is a ridiculous idea, he said. "We are not allowed to debate in Parliament on some of the biggest decisions such as the demonetisation. We were not allowed to have a conversation in Parliament on the Farmers Bill, GST, or the Chinese incursion on the borders," he said.

On a question on India's China policy, Gandhi drew similarities between Chinese troops on the Ladakh and Arunachal Pradesh borders and Ukraine.

"If you look at what happened in Ukraine, Russia has told Ukraine that we do not accept its relationship with Europe and America and if you do not change this relationship, we will challenge your territorial integrity."

Gandhi scion influenced by Maoists, retorts BJP

RAJESH KUMAR THAKUR @New Delhi

IRKED at Congress leader Rahul Gandhi's criticism of the RSS and the state of democracy in India in his lectures in London, the BJP continued its attack on him on Tuesday.

> **If the country defeats you again and again, don't vent your anger out by going abroad and insulting India**
>
> Ravi Shankar Prasad, BJP MP

BJP MP and former law minister Ravi Shankar Prasad said, "It is our clear allegation that Rahul Gandhi is under the influence of chaotic and Maoist elements. The RSS teaches the lessons of national service, national love and devotion to the nation. How can one say like that against it? We condemn it."

He said the RSS has done a great job for the country. Nehru, Indira and Rajiv Gandhi also used to criticise the RSS, but where did the Sangh reach now and where did they all end up? Prasad said that Gandhi's lecture in London has blurred the country's image on foreign soil.

"Through his lecture, Gandhi has made a mockery of India's Parliament, India's politics, India's laws and security and India's people," he remarked.

The BJP asked Gandhi to stop insulting India on foreign soil. "If the country defeats you again and again, don't vent out your anger by insulting India," Prasad quipped. The BJP attacked Gandhi for forgetting Parliamentary norms, political propriety and 'democratic shame' by criticising India on a foreign soil.

PM asks pvt sector to jack up investments

RAJESH KUMAR THAKUR
@New Delhi

TWO days after former RBI governor Raghuram Rajan's remark that the country is 'dangerously' close to Hindu rate of growth, Prime Minister Narendra Modi, asserted, albeit indirectly, that India is moving forward with new capabilities.

The PM said India in today's time is considered a bright spot in the global economy and has attracted the highest FDI in 2021-22.

Speaking at a post-Budget webinar on 'Enhancing Efficiency of Financial Services for Creating Growth Opportunities' on Tuesday, Modi claimed the banking system has come into profit after being on the verge of collapse 8-10 years ago.

"In the era of 'Industry 4.0', platforms developed by India are becoming models for the world". Modi made a fervent appeal to India investors to increase investment taking advantage of opportunities created by the Budget 2023-24.

"I would also call upon the private sector of the country to increase their investment just like the government so that the country gets maximum benefit from it," he said.

He added that the increase in the tax base has come as a proof that people have faith in the government believing that their taxes paid are being properly utilised for nation building.

Around 1.20 crore MSMEs have received the supports from the government during the pandemic, he noted.

Allocation and utilisation details in the past one month

Agencies	Allocation	Utilisation
NAFED	1 LT	9,500 T
KB	1.4 LT	5,600 T
NCCF	68,000 T	10,500 T
Total	3 LT	25,600 T (8.5%)
FCI	45 LT	23 LT (51%)

FCI fares better
The Food Corporation of India has sold over 50 per cent of allocated grain (45 LT) as wheat flour, reducing the market price by over 25 per cent

Lack of infra at co-ops, Kendriya Bhandar shows in atta sale

JITENDRA CHOUBEY @ New Delhi

CENTRAL cooperatives and federations could sell only around 8 per cent of the allotted three lakh tonne (LT) wheat as atta (wheat flour).

This has resulted in lower impact on the retail price of atta relative to wheat price as in the past month the retail rates of atta was reduced by around 10 per cent only.

According to the Department of Consumer Affairs, the atta price on February 1 was around ₹35, which was reduced to ₹32 by March 2. However, the price of wheat was around ₹30 per kg, which was reduced to ₹22 in the Delhi market.

On the other hand, the Food Cooperation of India (FCI) sold over 50 per cent of allocated grain (45 LT) as wheat flour, reducing the market price by over 25 per cent.

In January, the government had decided to offload 30 lakh tonne (LT) wheat into the market through its different agencies to address the rising price of wheat and atta. Later, the government said another another 20 LT will be offloaded.

The government has allocated 45 LT to FCI and 3 LT to cooperative and federation agencies such as the National Agricultural Cooperative Marketing Federation of India Ltd (NAFED), KendriyaBhandar (KB) and National Cooperative Consumers Federation of India Limited (NCCF).

The government had allocated wheat of quantity 1 LT to NAFED, 1.3 LT to Kendriya Bhandar and 68,000 tonnes to NCCF at a concessional rate of ₹21.50 per kg, which would be converted into atta for selling at a cheap rate of ₹27.50 Kg.

As per official data seen by this reporter, NCCF is only able to sell 10,500 tonne, followed by NAFED (9,500 tonne) and KB (5,600 tonne).

"Like FCI, these agencies do not have infrastructure on the ground to sell aata," said a senior NAFED officer.

The FCI has a robust system of procurements from designated mandis and distribution through established public distribution shops network.

BODYLINE

Taliban diktat: Ban on Afghan girls stays

YESHI SELI @New Delhi

AFGHAN women have nothing to cheer about this Women's Day (March 8th) as they don't even have the basic rights to higher education. The new academic year began on March 6 and the Taliban-led regime has banned girls from being enrolled.

"This is inhuman for women, but we can do little to challenge the radical mindset. We have nothing to cheer about and can only wish that someday we too get a chance to celebrate the Womens Day," said Nazia, an expat. Ironically, less than a month ago the Taliban government had highlighted the opening of two primary girls schools in Laghman which was made with the support of UN High Commissioner for Refugees.

Adding insult to injury is Taliban government deciding to annul divorces of women who were into abusive marriages. "Women are being forced to go back to their abusive husbands, as a result of which some are going into hiding. Women are living a nightmare in Afghanistan at present," Nazia said.

The women who got legal separation under the government are the ones whose marriages are being annulled by the Taliban. On Tuesday, a joint statement of the first meet of India-Central Asia Joint Working Group on Afghanistan emphasised on women's rights.

"We emphasised on the formation of a truly inclusive and representative political structure that respects the rights of all Afghans and ensures equal rights of women, girls and members of minority groups including access to education," the statement read.

These joint statements will have no impact on the way the Taliban mindset works and it will require a long drawn out effort to grant women basic rights.

Amshipora: Court martial suggestion under tech review

MAYANK SINGH @ New Delhi

THE Indian Army's General Court Martial (GCM) recommendation of life imprisonment for a Captain and two others has been sent for technical evaluation. "Keeping the aspects of fair trials and objective process the complete trial report of the GCM has been sent for technical evaluation," sources confirmed.

"It is a sensitive case and the Army doesn't want to keep any loophole so that it is not found wanting if the case is challenged further. The scrutiny of the process and statements is done with a purpose of re-evaluation to "give a fair chance to those against whom the punishment has been recommended, which evaluates even the quantum of punishment," the sources added.

'AFSPA violated'

It was ascertained that there was a violation of the Armed Forces Special Powers Act (AFSPA). According to sources, once the technical evaluation of the court martial's recommendations – which may take a month or two – is complete it will be sent to the senior officers

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The case relates to an encounter in 2020 in Amshipora in Shopian district in Jammu and Kashmir. Indian Army's troops under the command of Captain Bhoopendra Singh had claimed to have killed three terrorists and reports of recovery of weapons from the place of encounter was also shown.

But the relatives of the three youth killed in an encounter on July 18, 2020, approached police saying that the three were labourers and had travelled on foot to Srinagar in search of a job. The three youths, Imtiyaz Ahmed (20), Abrar Ahmed (25) and Mohammed Abrar (16), were from Jammu's Rajouri district.

The J&K Police set up an SIT, which filed a charge sheet which found three persons, including Captain Singh, "staging" the encounter. The Army initiated a Court of Inquiry which confirmed in September 2020 that the three youth claimed to be killed in the encounter were the labourers.

Their identities were further confirmed by DNA tests. Going ahead the Army conducted a Summary of Evidence. "The technical evaluation might take another month or two and once the technical evaluation of the GCM recommendations is complete it will be sent to the senior officers," sources said.

The life sentence is subject to confirmation by higher army authorities, the officials said. The Srinagar-based Corps Commander and the Commander in Chief of the Northern Command will be apprised of the case further once the evaluation is complete, officials said.

'Prisons fare poorly in menstrual hygiene'

KAVITA BAJELI-DATT @ New Delhi

INDIAN jails have no menstrual hygiene management in place despite 80 per cent menstruating women lodged in prisons, according to a study.

Prisons don't provide unlimited free sanitary pads or proper waste disposal or any sensitisation programme for menstrual health management either to prisoners to staff, according to a study conducted by CHRI and NGO Boondh.

The study, conducted in 11 prisons, including two each in Tamil Nadu, Andhra Pradesh, and Kerala, and one in Karnataka, found that as no law stipulates free, unlimited sanitary menstrual products, including disposable pads. Women in these prisons have different levels of access to sanitary pads– 8 from 25.

None of the prisons in seven states reported offering other types of menstrual products, the report by Commonwealth Human Rights Initiative (CHRI) and Boondh, which works on menstrual literacy, policy, advocacy, programming, activism and sustainable products.

All the prisons get 'one size' sanitary pads, the report said, which focused on women prisons and excluded menstruating prisoners who are housed in enclosures in male prisons.

It found a lack of data on the amount of water available to women inmates, as many prisons are not measuring the amount of water they have.

"No prison rules contain provisions for providing hot water to women prisoners to manage menstruation. It is provided only when the medical officer recommends it on the grounds of health issues or if requested by the woman prisoner," the report said.

The disposal of menstrual hygiene materials is often overlooked, to the detriment of both women and the facilities, said the report.

Madhurima Dhanuka, Programme Head, Prison Reforms Programme, CHRI, said, "Menstrual hygiene management is an issue less discussed in India, and even lesser in the context of prisons."

"The difficulties of managing one's period in prison for menstruating prisoners need more attention. From our experience, many issues are faced -- from quality and quantity of sanitary products to their proper waste disposal, to managing pain and seeking medical help from specialised doctors -- every prison which lodges women inmates needs a closer look," she said.

Inadequate facilities
22,918
Women prisoners in India - 4.13% of total prison population
Of these, only
16.5%
Confined to women's prisons
Rest of them lodged in women enclosures, demarcated areas inside male prisons
Most women are either 30-50-years-old
50.5%
or 18-30 years old (31.3%)
Menstrual products available to prisoners vary from prison to prison
No prison rule has provisions for providing hot water to women prisoners to manage menstruation

First batch of command course for women officers to begin this month

MAYANK SINGH @ New Delhi

THE Army has taken another step to equip its women officers to take over the command duties, as the first batch of women officers for the senior command course will report at the Army War College at the end of March.

Sources confirmed that the Senior Level Tactical Orientation Course equivalent to Senior Command Course will begin from March 23 at Mhow, Indore. "The course duration will be of six weeks and 97 out of 108 empanelled officers have been detailed for the course," a source said.

Those attending the course are the ones medically cleared and it is a specially tailored course thus will be of a shortened duration. The normal Senior Command Course is of 10 weeks duration.

This course is done by all officers who are likely to be promoted to the rank of Colonel for taking over responsibilities as the Commanding Officer of an army unit (battalion or regiment of his arm or service). The course prepares them for their unit command functions.

The command of a unit is an important and decisive stage of training because performance at this stage is the most important criteria for selecting officers for promotion thereafter as senior leaders of the Army.

A Special Number 3 Selection Board for Women officers for promotion from Lieutenant Colonel to Colonel was conducted with effect from January 9 to January 21 this year. A total of 244 Women Officers were considered by the Special Number 3 Selection Board and a total of 108 Women Officers have been empanelled.

Officers for the rank of Colonel and above are selected by a board of officers. An officer ranked as Colonel will command independent functional units of the Indian Army.

Beyond this come the formations, and collections of such Units, like Brigades, Divisions and Corps commanded by the Brigadiers, Major Generals and Lieutenant Generals, respectively.

The task on the ground is executed by the units. In the normal course of service selection for command is done at around 17 years of service.

FOOD POISONING

Seven children of a special school for the visually-impaired from south Mumbai were hospitalised on Tuesday following symptoms of food poisoning and fever, officials said.

4 INJURED AS PART OF BALCONY COLLAPSES IN MUMBAI

Ahmedabad	34	20	Mumbai	37	25
Bhopal	31	17	Panaji	32	24
Jaipur	30	18	Patna	32	18
Amritsar	30	14	Lucknow	32	17
Chennai	35	23	Port Blair	31	24
Kolkata	35	24	Imphal	32	11
Srinagar	16	01	Chandigarh	31	14

Sangma, Rio sworn in as CMs in presence of Modi, Shah

Rio takes oath for fifth time, whereas Sangma at the helm for second straight term

PRASANTA MAZUMDAR @Guwahati

Prime Minister Narendra Modi with Conrad K Sangma (left) and Neiphiu Rio | PTI

CONRAD K Sangma and Neiphiu Rio were on Tuesday sworn in as the chief ministers of Meghalaya and Nagaland, respectively.

This is the second straight chief ministerial term for Sangma (45), who heads the National People's Party (NPP) that emerged as the single largest party by bagging 26 of Meghalaya's 60 seats.

Rio, 72, took oath as chief minister for the fifth time, second in a row as the leader of the Nationalist Democratic Progressive Party (NDPP), which won 25 seats and emerged as the single largest party in the 60-member House. He was with the Naga People's Front (NPF) during his first three terms as chief minister.

Sangma and Rio took oath in the presence of Prime Minister Narendra Modi, home minister Amit Shah, BJP national president JP Nadda and Assam Chief Minister Himanta Biswa Sarma. Modi, Shah and Nadda will attend the swearing-in ceremony of Manik Saha as the Tripura chief minister on Wednesday.

Sangma's five-party and 45-MLA coalition has been named Meghalaya Democratic Alliance 2.0 considering that it has been formed with the parties of previous MDA government. The constituents are NPP, BJP, United Democratic Party (UDP), Hill State People's Democratic Party (HSPDP) and People's Democratic Front (PDF) besides two independents.

A maximum of 12 could be inducted into the ministry. The NPP kept eight ministerial berths and allotted two to the UDP and one each to the BJP and HSPDP. The two BJP legislators will share the five-year ministerial term for two and half years each. The only woman inducted into the ministry is former Congress minister Ampareen Lyngdoh.

The state got two deputy chief ministers, Prestone Tynsong and Sniawbhalang Dhar (both from NPP). The duo and Sangma together represent the state's three regions. Sangma is from Garo Hills, Tynsong from Khasi Hills and Dhar from Jaintia Hills. Abu Taher Mondal is the only non-tribal to feature in Sangma's ministry.

In Nagaland, the NDPP kept seven ministerial berths and allotted five to ally BJP. The NDPP's Salhoutuonuo Kruse is the only woman inducted into the ministry. The two parties went to elections after striking a seat-sharing deal and won 37 seats – 25 by NDPP and 12 by BJP.

As in Meghalaya, Nagaland, too, got two deputy chief ministers – Yanthungo Patton (BJP) and former chief minister TR Zeliang (NDPP). Zeliang was with NPF but defected to NDPP last year along with 20 party MLAs.

Meet Kruse, Nagaland's first woman minister

PRASANTA MAZUMDAR @Guwahati

JUST five days after she had created history by getting elected to the Nagaland Assembly, Salhoutuonuo Kruse achieved yet another milestone on Tuesday by becoming first woman minister in the state.

She and Hekani Jakhalu went into the annals of state's history on March 2 by winning the Assembly polls. Nagaland attained statehood in 1963 but no woman before them won an Assembly election.

In the 60-member Nagaland House, a maximum of 12 can be inducted into the ministry. Jakhalu and Kruse are members of Nationalist Democratic Progressive Party. Kruse won from the Western Angami seat in Kohima district by only 7 votes.

Kruse, 55, was ecstatic after being sworn in as a minister. "I am very happy that I have been given this responsibility. I will do what I can and encourage women to be brave, sincere and hardworking so that we can work together and gain whatever we have not gained yet," she said. Recently, she told this newspaper that she faced many challenges in the elections.

"The first challenge, of course, was my decision to contest as no woman ever won the state elections in Nagaland. Then, the Naga society still has a bit of patriarchal mindset," she had said. From a tender age, she had a heart to serve the society and this was reflected in her association with NGOs.

Her husband contested once but was not successful. He wanted to contest this election but lost his life to Covid in 2021. Jakhalu, the US-educated lawyer and social entrepreneur, viewed her victory and that of Kruse as the victory of women.

SRINAGAR DIARY

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Political activities to pick up in Valley

The political activities are likely to pick up in Kashmir with the improving weather conditions. Of all the political parties, BJP is the most active in the Valley. It has been holding regular party workers' meetings in Srinagar. However, other parties including National Conference Apni Party, PDP and DPAP of Ghulam Nabi Azad are likely to increase their activities and reach out to the supporters and political workers. The Congress, which is upbeat over public participation of Rahul Gandhi's Yatra in the Valley, too would be increasing its activities in Kashmir to consolidate the support base.

Srinagar to get cherry theme garden

Srinagar, which is known for tulip farms and Mughal-era gardens, would soon have a cherry theme garden on the pattern of Japanese Sakura. The modalities in this regard are being finalised by the J&K administration with the Japanese authorities. The cherry theme garden is a ₹10 crore project, which is an extension plan for Tulip Garden in Srinagar to make it more attractive for visitors. The project is being facilitated by the Union Ministry of External Affairs. According to officials, 2,500 cherry trees will be required for the project which will be procured in a phased manner.

Valley to get unique bridge in Wayil area

The Valley's first arch-truss-Girder bridge is coming up in Wayil area of Central Kashmir's Ganderbal district on Srinagar-Leh highway and it is nearing completion. The bridge, which was constructed using a unique combination of truss and arch bridge elements and girders, is a remarkable engineering feat. The ₹23.79 crores worth two-lane bridge with a span of 110 meters and a width of 10.50 meters has been funded by the World Bank. The work had started in 2020. The bridge will not only end the frequent traffic snarls but would also add to the attraction of tourists.

ISRO: Chamoli, Rudraprayag most prone to landslides

NARENDRA SETHI @ Dehradun

THE latest report of the Indian Space Research Organization (ISRO) has raised concerns over the threat of landslides in Uttarakhand's Chamoli and Rudraprayag districts. This is the second ISRO report after January this year that said that the entire Joshimath town could sink due to land subsidence.

The grim prospects for Chamoli and Rudraprayag are revealed in the recently released landslide map report of ISRO's National Remote Sensing Centre (NRSC). The report analyses landslide risks across the hill state. The report says all 13 districts of Uttarakhand are among the 147 most landslide-affected districts in the country. Among them, Chamoli ranks 19th in the country in terms of landslide risk. Rudraprayag is most vulnerable to landslides in the country and Tehri ranks second among the 10 most vulnerable districts in the country in terms of landslide risk.

Dr DP Dobhal, former scientist at the Wadia Institute of Himalayan Geology, told this newspaper: "The entire Himalayan region is vulnerable to landslides. There should be a detailed study based on this NRSC report with a prognosis on factors like the damage from landslides and population.

"This can help policy regulators to decide what kind of planning they have to make," said Dobhal. According to the report, all 13 districts of Uttarakhand are among the 147 most landslide-affected districts. Among them, Chamoli district ranks 19th in the country in terms of landslide risk.

Significantly, Joshimath town of Chamoli district is already in the grip of landslides. Scientists are technically investigating it and sensing the danger. However, satellite images show that Uttarkashi ranks 21st in the country.

PUNJAB

Minor held for issuing death threats to dad of Moosewala

HARPREET BAJWA @ Chandigarh

A 14-year old boy hailing from Rajasthan has been arrested by the Punjab Police as he allegedly threatened to kill Punjabi singer Sidhu Moosewala's father Balkaur Singh. Meanwhile, the parents of Moosewala for a brief while sat on a dharna outside Punjab Vidhan Sabha today demanding justice in the murder of their son and a CBI inquiry into the case. Later, after assurance, they lifted their sit-in-protest.

Senior Superintendent of Police of Mansa, Nanak Singh said that the boy, who is a student of Class X, sent four e-mails in the last fifteen days — February 18, 24, 26 and 27 to Balkaur Singh Sidhu father of slain singer Sidhu Moosewala threatening to kill him.

"As of now in the investigations no link of the boy has been found with any gangster. But we are trying to find out why he sent the emails threatening Moosewala's father," Singh said. During the Dharna, Agriculture Minister assured the parents that the CM would meet them, however, Opposition pointed out that the CM did not meet them today itself.

Unseasonal rain, hailstorm damage Rabi crop in central and west MP

ANURAAG SINGH @ Bhopal

CHIEF Minister Shivraj Singh Chouhan has ordered a survey into the damage caused to the standing Rabi crops, due to unseasonal rain and hailstorm in many parts of Madhya Pradesh's central and western regions on Monday evening and night.

"There is information of hailstorm and rain in some parts of the state. But the farmers need not worry as I'm with them. Detailed survey of damage to crops by hailstorm and unseasonal rain will be conducted soon," Chouhan said on Tuesday.

A few hours later he said, "I've talked with the administrative machinery in all districts and the work on conducting survey of crops damage has started on the ground."

Unseasonal rains and hailstorm was reported in many parts of the state on Monday evening and night, including capital Bhopal and adjoining districts of central MP, besides Guna district in Gwalior-Chambal region. Hailstorm was also reported in districts of Malwa's Ujjain region.

According to informed sources, major damage to standing Rabi crops, including wheat, gram and pulses has been reported particularly in Narmadapuram, Rajgarh and Vidisha districts of central MP that neighbour state capital Bhopal. Significant damage to standing crop has also been reported from Barwani, Dhar, Mandsaur and Ratlam districts of west and south west MP.

Fortunately, however, the standing wheat crop in Sagar and Sehore (two districts with major wheat cultivation) wasn't damaged significantly.

Meanwhile, first-time Congress MLA Kunal Chaudhary has demanded that the farmers whose standing crop has been badly damaged by heavy rain, hailstorm and high velocity winds on Monday evening and night should be compensated by the state government at ₹40,000 per hectare.

Guj aid to onion, potato farmers

Ahmedabad: The Gujarat government has announced financial aid amounting to ₹330 crore in the form of freight and export subsidies, price differentials, and storage subsidies for the sale of onions and potatoes within the state. State Agricultural Minister Raghavji Patel informed the state Assembly about these measures on Tuesday. "The government's financial aid is in response to fears that in the upcoming season, the prices of onions and potatoes might drop much further," said Raghavji. "The market price of potatoes is low due to overproduction. The government has received several representations for financial assistance," he said.

PPP model for Royal Springs Golf Course mooted

FAYAZ WANI @ Srinagar

The 300-acre golf course with 18 holes is renowned for its size | EXPRESS

OVER three years after scrapping of J&K's special status, the Lt Governor administration has identified 12 tourism properties in Jammu and Kashmir, including one of Asia's largest and most beautiful golf courses in Srinagar for outsourcing through public private partnership mode and invited bids from national and international companies.

Of the 12 tourism properties identified for outsourcing, 11 have been divided into three bundles.

The Bundle I includes Pahalgam club and convention centre and Pahalgam Hutments and Hotel Alpine with an estimated project cost of ₹108.44 crores. In the Bundle II bracket, there are three properties including Tourism facilities at Sanasar Lake, tourist bungalow Kud and Hotel Maple Kud with an estimated project cost of ₹48.89 crores and while bracket III includes six properties – Ramban Cafeteria, Tourist Bungalow at Ramban, Tourist Bungalow Seri-Ramban, Tourist Bungalow Banihal, Hotel Maple Banihal and Cafeteria Qazigund at an estimated project cost of ₹6.86 crores.

The J&K Tourism Development Corporation, which manages these properties, has invited proposals from reputed national or international entities, joint ventures for undertaking Development, Operation & Maintenance of select tourism assets (bundle-wise) with 30 years concession period for Bundle – I & II is and license period of 15 years for Bundle –III.

The last date for receiving queries was February 27, which has been extended upto March 9. The pre-bid meeting would be held at Civil Secretariat, Jammu on March 10 and bid due date is March 31, 2023.

The administration has also decided to outsource the famed Royal Spring Golf Course in Srinagar, one of Asia's largest golf courses through public-private-partnership mode.

The 300-acre Royal Springs Golf Course with 18 holes is renowned for its size and beauty. It is situated on the banks of Dal Lake and surrounded by the Zabarwan mountain range.

According to officials, the selected private sector will design, renovate, finance, build (including procurement and construction), operation and maintenance (O&M) of the outsourced properties.

"The properties will be transferred to JKTDC at the end of the Concession Period, as per the terms of the Concession Agreement," they said.

They said the government through JKTDC has embarked on augmenting tourism hospitality infrastructure facilities at select brownfield assets.

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Organic Holi: C'garh women prepare gulal with flowers, turmeric & spinach

EJAZ KAISER @ Raipur

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CHHATTISGARH is increasingly preparing non-toxic and chemical-free herbal gulal colours, made available with the help of gauthans (cattle shelter premises).

Ahead of the festival of colours, the women groups engaged in various gauthans in Chhattisgarh state are making herbal gulal using various flowers they collect from temples, marriage ceremonies, flower cultivation fields and markets. These groups generate additional source of income generated for themselves. The groups simultaneously use other ingredients such as beetroot, spinach, turmeric, pomegranate, marigold and their leaves to prepare chemical-free power solutions.

"While we are assisted on how to make colours (gulal), support is also provided for its packaging and sale", said Ambika Sahu from Mahasamund district whose group made over 100 kg herbal gulal and all were sold.

Owing to high demand for herbal gulal across Chhattisgarh besides the adjoining states of Odisha and Madhya Pradesh, the women at Jarwoy Gauthan in Raipur Municipal Corporation limit have joined hands to prepare eco-friendly chemical-free colours.

"Over 300 kg of herbal gulal prepared by self help groups of Jarwoy gauthan were sent last week to Sambalpur in Odisha. There remains a huge demand for such herbal gulal in various colours which are made in gauthan maintaining standards of hygiene", said Sanjay Sharma, nodal officer of the gauthan.

In yet another achievement to empower the women self-help groups (SHGs) in the state, over 25,000 kg of herbal gulal worth ₹48 lakh prepared by them has been exported to Europe through Mundra port in Gujarat last year.

RAIL COACH FACTORY KAPURTHALA

On-line tenders are invited by PCMM, RCF on behalf of President of India for following items:-

Sr. No.	Tender No. & Due Date	Description	Qty./Nos. /Sets	EMD (₹)
1.	14221199A 27.03.2023	Resin Bonded Fibre Glass Wool Insulation Laminated	1112 Set	1049730/-
2.	14231020 27.03.2023	Extra High Purity Oxygen Gas	44192 Cum	68830/-
3.	12221283A 27.03.2023	1. Water tank assembly without upper frame for LHB Coaches.	459 Set 640 Set	2000000/-
		2. Water tank (2X685 litre) complete without upper frame complete.		
4.	052310358 27.03.2023	Body side sliding door	560 Set	1396930/-
5.	05221456 27.03.2023	Set of Console	755 Set	176220/-

(1) For details and making On-line tenders, visit webiste: **http://ireps.gov.in** Drawings/specifications, wherever required can be downloaded from RCF website: **http://www.rcf.indianrailways.gov.in**. Class IIIb digital signature certificate required for on-line biddings, can be obtained from licensed certifying agensices listed at **http://www.cce.gov.in** **(2)** Tenders will close at **14.25 hrs.** on due date and will be opened at **14.30 hrs.** Tenders Sr. No. 1 to 3 will be opened at RCF, Kapurthala and Sr. No. 4 & 5 will be opened at Tilak Bridge, New Delhi **(3)** For queries, contact IREPS helpdesk at **011-24102855**, **011-24105180** or RCF helpdesk at **011-23370897**.

NOTE: GST Number of RCF is 03AAAGM0289C1ZT. All the suppliers are advised to quote this in dispatch documents for the supplies made by them.

PCMM

CORRIGENDUM

Tender No. **14221067B due on 06.03.2023** due date may be read as **14.03.2023** instead of 06.03.2023, Inspection agency has been updated, eligibility criteria has been revised.

PCMM

No. G-RCF/122/Stores/139/2022-23 Dated 07/03/2023

KRISHNA BHAGYA JALA NIGAM LIMITED

(A Government of Karnataka Undertaking)

Office of the Executive Engineer, KBJNL, Dam Division, Almatti-586201. Tq:B.Bagewadi Dt: Vijayapur. Phone:08426-281027 E-mail:dam_division@rediffmail.com

No: KBJNL/DDA/DB/TND/2022-23/3539 Dated:03.03.2023

SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION

(Through E-Procurement Portal Only)

On behalf of the Managing Director, KBJNL, Bangalore the undersigned invites tender on percentage basis from the eligible contractors for the work of **(1) Indent No. 24232 of Rs. 210.52 Lakhs (2) Indent No. 23557 of Rs. 168.39 Lakhs (3) Outsourcing of collection of parking fee from the visitors/tourists for vehicle parking charges @ parking lot at Almatti Dam Site for 3 Years (2022-23 to 2024-25) (RFP) of Rs. 66.95 Lakhs. The contractor can have access and submit e-tender from 07-03-2023 to 17-03-2023 up to 5-00PM. Pre-bid Metting held on 13-03-2023 at 11-00AM at the Office of the Executive Engineer, KBJNL, Dam Division, Almatti for (Indent No. 24232, & 23557) Cover-I (Technical) Bid will be opened on 20-03-2023 at 11-00AM Cover-II (Financial Bid) will be opened on 23-03-2023 at 11-00AM** at the Office of the Executive Engineer, KBJNL, Dam Division, Almatti. For clarifications office of the undersigned may be contacted during office hours (Phone No. 08426-281027). Further information about electronic tendering can be had from http://eproc.karnataka.gov.in/eportal /index.seam.

Sd/- Executive Engineer, KBJNL, Dam Division, Almatti

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Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike

Office of the Executive Engineer, Gandhinagar Division, 2nd Floor, BBMP Complex, Behind Upparpet Police Station, Bengaluru-560 009.

No.EE/GNR/E-PROC/31/2022-23 Date: 07-03-2023

SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION

(KW-1, KW-2 & KW-3), (Call-2)

(Through GOK e-Procurement Portal Only)

The Executive Engineer, Gandhinagar Division, BBMP, Bengaluru, invites item rate tenders from the eligible contractors registered with BBMP/CPWD/KPWD/ Railways/MES or any State Government Organisations.

Sl. No.	Name of the Work & Category	Amount put to Tender (₹. in Lakhs)	EMD (₹.in Thousands)
	SINGLE COVER		
1.	Comprehensive Development Gandhinagar Sub-Division Office in Ward No.133, Gandhinagara, **(SC).**	7.73	11,595/-
2.	Comprehensive Development Cottonpet Sub-Division Office in Ward No.136, Binnypete, **(Others).**	9.00	22,500/-
3.	Maintenance of Existing Community Halls in Core area in Ward No.134, **(SC).**	7.61	11,415/-
4.	Providing Rain Water Harvesting in Ward No.133, Gandhinagar, **(SC).**	3.35	5.025/-
5.	Maintenance of Community Property in Ward No.95, **(SC).**	2.50	3,375/-
6.	Maintenance of Secondary Storm Water Drain in Ward No.95, **(ST).**	5.00	6.250/-
7.	Providing Drinking Water in Ward No.95, **(SC).**	10.00	15,000/-
8.	Maintenance and repairs of Borewell and Construction of RO Plant in Ward No.138, **(Others).**	25.00	50,000/-
9.	Providing Street name boards in Chickpete Ward No.138, **(SC).**	25.00	37,500/-
10.	Improvements to Chief Engineer, West Office in Ward No.133, **(Others).**	10.00	25,000/-
11.	Providing Fencing of BBMP Assets in Ward No.134, Subhashnagar, **(Others).**	9.51	23,775/-
12.	Repairs to Public Toilets in Ward No.121, **(SC).**	5.00	7,500/-
	TWO COVER		
13.	Development of Maternity Hospital in Ward No.136, Binnypet, Gandhinagar Assembly Constituency, **(Others).**	60.00	90,000/-

Calendar of Events: Single Cover Works (Sl. No.1 to 12): (1) Last Date for uploading the Filled proposals **16.03.2023 up to 4:00 p.m. (2)** Date of Opening tender on **18-03-2023 at 4:30 p.m. Calendar of Events: Two Cover Works (Sl. No.13): (1)** Date of pre-bid meeting at office of the Chief Engineer (West-Zone), Opp. Mantri Mall, Malleshwaram, Bengaluru on **13-03-2023 at 11:30 a.m. (2)** Last Date for uploading the Filled proposals **16-03-2023 up to 4:00 p.m. (3)** Date of Opening of Technical Proposals is **18-03-2023 at 4:00 p.m. (4)** Date of Opening of Financial Proposals after approval of Technical Proposals through e-procurement. Further particulars can be obtained from the above office during working hours on working days or from **website: https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in**

Sd/-, Executive Engineer, Gandhinagar Division, BBMP.

KARNATAKA POWER TRANSMISSION CORPORATION LIMITED

(CIN: U40109KA1999SGC025521)

No.938/C/TLSS/EE(E)/AE(T)/2022-23/6299-301&6302-04 Date: 06.03.2023

SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION

Sealed tenders in duplicate are invited from Manufacturer/ Experience/Authorized service Agency for the following works.

1) "Updation of existing SAS system with replacement of faulty equipments and up gradation of version at 220/110/11 KV Athani" in TL & SS Division KPTCL, Chikodi.

Particulars / works: CPU of MHMI, RHMI and DR system, Key board monitors and KVM extenders-are to be replaced. 2) ETV meters are not reporting to metering gateway-to be attended. 3) GPS receiver not working of 110 KV bay to be attended. 4) 110 KV and 11 KV lines not reporting remote gateway-to be attended. 5) Some ports of Ethernet port not working, faulty LAN cables-to be replaced. 6) SAS upgradation with suitable OS and SAS software, gateway configuration.

2) "Supply, Retrofitting, Programming & Commission of 220 KV Bus Bar differential relay at 220KV R/S Athani" in TL & SS Division KPTCL, Chikodi. Particulars / works: Supply, Retrofitting, Programming & Commission of Bus Bar differential relay at 220KV R/S Athani Make: Approved vendor Voltage: 220 KV DC. Qty in No : 01 No.

Quotation may to be submitting duly inspecting the site. The under singed may be contacted for tender closing date and tender opening date and other condition within office hour on working days.

Sd/-, Executive Engineer (Ele), TL & SS Division, KPTCL, Chikodi.

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DEMAND NOTICE UNDER SEC. 13(2) SARFAESI ACT 2002

At your request, Bank has extended credit facilities to the below mentioned individuals against secured assets through its **Union Bank of India, Mathikere Branch,** the relevant particulars of the property on which you have created security interest by execution of security agreement/documents & creation of mortgage by way deposit of title deeds are furnished hereunder. As the operation and conduct of the financial assistance/ credit facilities have become irregular, the debts have been classified as Non Performing Assets in accordance with the directives/guidelines issued by Reserve Bank of India consequent to the default committed by the borrowers in repayment of the principal debt and interest thereon. As the demand notice sent by register AD calling upon you, was un-served / not acknowledged, this publication is now issued.

1. Name and address of the Borrower/Mortgagor : 1) Mrs. Padma Kannan W/o. Late Kannan .K, **(2) Late Mr. Kannan .K, both are resding at :** No. 841/5, BDA No. 841, Site No. 63 having an extent of 1957.50 sq. ft with three-storied residential building in Sy. No. 21, 21/3 & 21/4, 9th Main, 3rd Cross, Off Triveni Road, Gokul 1st Stage, 2nd Phase, K.N. Extn., Yeshwanthpur, Bangalore-560022. ***Since deceased/ Estate of the deceased represented by :*** **1a) Mrs. Padma Kannan Alias Padmavathi** W/o. Late Kannan .K (Wife & also Applicant), **(1b) Mr. Kishan .K (Son), (1c) Mr. Kishore .K (Son), All are resding at :** No. 841/5, BDA No. 841, Site No. 63, 9th Main, 3rd Cross, Off Triveni Road, Gokul 1st Stage, 2nd Phase, K.N. Extn., Yeshwanthpur, Bangalore 560022.

S. No.	Type of Facility & A/c No.	Outstanding amount as on date of NPA i.e. as on 28-02-2023	Total dues
1.	HL- 199430100006348	Rs. 29,02,939.49	Rs. 29,02,939.49
	Total Dues	**Rs. 29,02,939.49**	**Rs. 29,02,939.49**

Description of the secured assets : Residential building No. 841/5, BDA No. 841, Site No. 63 having an extent of 1957.50 sq. ft with three-storied residential building in Sy. No. 21, 21/3 & 21/4, 9th Main, 3rd Cross, Off Triveni Road, Gokul 1st Stage, 2nd Phase, K.N. Extn., Yeshwanthpur, Bangalore-560022. **bounded by : East :** Property No. 840, **West :** Property No. 842, **North :** Road, **South :** Drain

Amount Outstanding : Rs. 29,02,939.49/- (Rupees Twenty Nine Lakhs Two Thousand Nine Hundred Thirty Nine and Fourty Nine paise Only) together with further interest and charges

NPA Date: 28-02-2023 **Demand Notice Date: 04-03-2023**

If you fail to repay the aforesaid sum with interest and incidental expenses within 60 days from the date of this notice, Bank shall exercise all or any of the rights detailed under sub section (4) of the section 13 of the SARFAESI Act. You are also put on notice that in terms of sub section 13 of section 13 you shall not transfer by sale, lease or otherwise the said secured assets detailed above without obtaining written consent of the Bank. This notice is without prejudice to the Banks rights to initiate such other action or legal proceedings as it deem necessary under any other applicable provisions of law.

Please also note that as per section 13(8) of the Act, you may redeem the secured asset by remitting the amount demanded above together with all costs, charges and expenses incurred tous, at any time before the date of publication of notice for public auction or inviting quotations or tenders from public or private treaty for transfer by way of lease, assignment or sale of the secured asset(s).

Date: 07.03.2023 **Sd/- Authorised Officer**
Place: Bangalore **Union Bank of India**

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the general public that my client my client Sri.A.M.Gopala Krishna, Aged about 48 years, S/o late A Muniswamy R/at. No. 78/A, KPA Block, Near Balaji Silk & Sarees, Chandra Layout, 1st Block, VTC: Chandra Layout, Vijayanagar, Bangalore – 560040, who are the present owner of the below mentioned property and he having (1) Original Sale Deed dated 10.12.1967, registered as document No.2245/1967-66 and (2) Sale Deed dated 10.12.1967, registered as document No.2244/1967-68 both registered in the office of Sub-Registrar, Sidlaghatta Chikkaballapura District had been lost on 02.03.2023 while taking Xerox near Sub-Registrar Office Vijayanagar, Bangalore, i.r.o property bearing Site No.282/1, situated at Sugaturu Village, Jagamakote Hobli, Sidhlaghatta Taluk, Chikkaballapura District, measuring 2 Acres 15 Guntas. and they have made best efforts in tracing the same , but efforts were in vain, And further he lodged a police complaint in this regarding on 06.03.2023 vide cr. No. 0492579/2023. If any one found the aforesaid document, kindly contact at the office address given below within 7 days from the date hereof failing which the claim or claims if any such person or persons will be considered to have been waived and abandoned.

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BEFORE THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-II AT BANGALORE
BSNL BUILDING, 4th Floor, Telephone House, Rajbhavan Road, Bengaluru-560 001.

OA No. 742/2021

BETWEEN: Union Bank of India ... APPLICANT

AND: Shreyas and others .... **DEFENDANT**

DEFENDANT No.1: SHREYAS .B.S, S/o Sadashiv, No.10, 1st floor, 9th "A" Main, Byraveshwaranagar, Bengaluru-560072

DEFENDANT No.2: BHAVYA .A.S, W/o Shreyas .B.S, No.10, 1st floor, 9th "A" Main, Byraveshwaranagar, Bengaluru-560 072

DEFENDANT No.3: PNR BUILDERS AND DEVELOPERS [a Unit of Narasimha Enterprises) Partner G. RAMBABU, No.751, Ground floor, 60th Cross, 5th Block, Near Bhashyam Circle, Rajajinagar, Bengaluru-560010

SUMMONS TO DEFENDANT BY WAY OF PAPER PUBLICATION UNDER RULE 23 (viii) OF THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL(PROCEDURE) RULES, 1993

WHEREAS, the Applicant has instituted an Application under Sec. 19 of The Recovery of Debts Due to Banks and Financial Institutions Act, 1993 against the defendants for recovery of sum of **Rs. 30,74,161/- (Rupees Thirty Lakhs Seventy Four Thousand one Hundred and Sixty One only)** together with Current and future Interest and other reliefs.

Take Notice that you are hereby required to appear before this Tribunal to Show Cause within 30 days of the publication of summon/Notice or on **17-07-2023 at 11.00 A.M.** in person or by a Pleader/Advocate duly instructed as to why the relief prayed for should not be granted.

Take Notice that in case of default, the Application will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of this Tribunal on this 01/03/2023.

By order of the Tribunal, Registrar, Debts Recovery Tribunal-II Bangalore.

यूनियन बैंक Union Bank of India

KALYAN NAGAR BRANCH,
No. 36, 80 Ft. Road, Brindavan Nagar Colony, Near Hennur Cross, Kalyannagar, Bengaluru-560043, Phone : 8355818311, Email : ubin0813311@unionbankofindia.bank

DEMAND NOTICE BORROWER / GUARANTOR UNDER SEC. 13(2) SARFAESI ACT 2002

At your request, Bank has extended credit facilities to the below mentioned individuals against secured assets through its **Union Bank of India, Kalyannagar Branch,** the relevant particulars of the property on which you have created security interest by execution of security agreement/documents & creation of mortgage by way deposit of title deeds are furnished hereunder. As the operation and conduct of the financial assistance/ credit facilities have become irregular, the debts have been classified as Non Performing Assets in accordance with the directives/guidelines issued by Reserve Bank of India consequent to the default committed by the borrowers in repayment of the principal debt and interest thereon. As the demand notice sent by register AD calling upon you, was un-served / not acknowledged, this publication is now issued.

1) Name and address of the Borrower: 1) M/s. Sahana Apparels, Proprietor: Mr. Srinivas .R .B, No. 64, 2nd Cross, Near Saowmya Kali temple, Andrahalli Main Road, Bangalore-560091. **2. Mr. Srinivas .R .B,** S/o. Mr. Bhagadappa, No. 289, 17th Cross, Near Chethan Circle, Maruthi Nagara, Andrahalli, Bangalore-560091. **3. Mrs. Geetha .D .R,** W/o Mr. Srinivas .R .B, No. 60, Andrahalli Main Road, 3rd Cross, Vidyamanya Nagara, Doddanabadawane, Bangalore-560091.

S. No.	Facility/Loan	Limits	Total dues Rs.
1.	SODGN Standup India 133131100000511	Rs. 16,00,000/-	Rs. 16,20,451.13
	Total	**Rs. 16,00,000/-**	**Rs. 16,20,451.13**

Description of the secured assets : All that piece and parcel of the property constructed on Site No. 94, Assessment/Khata No. 92/3, BBMP Ward No. 40, Situated at Andrahalli Village, Viswaneedam Post, Yeswanthpur Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore -560 091 and measuring East toWest 45 Ft; and North to South 46 Ft. towards Western side 42 ft. and measuring 1980 sft. And bounded on the: **East :** Private Property, **West :** Property No. 93, **North :** Private Property, **South :** 25 Ft.

Amount Outstanding: Rs. 15,98,098.81 (Rupees Fifteen Lakhs Ninty Eight Thousand Ninty Eight and Paise Eighty One Only) as on 02.03.2023.

NPA Date : 26.02.2023 **Demand Notice Date : 04.03.2023**

If you fail to repay the aforesaid sum with interest and incidental expenses within 60 days from the date of this notice, Bank shall exercise all or any of the rights detailed under sub section (4) of the section 13 of the SARFAESI Act. You are also put on notice that in terms of sub section 13 of section 13 you shall not transfer by sale, lease or otherwise the said secured assets detailed above without obtaining written consent of the Bank. This notice is without prejudice to the Banks rights to initiate such other action or legal proceedings as it deem necessary under any other applicable provisions of law.

Please also note that as per section 13(8) of the Act, you may redeem the secured asset by remitting the amount demanded above together with all costs, charges and expenses incurred tous, at any time before the date of publication of notice for public auction or inviting quotations or tenders from public or private treaty for transfer by way of lease, assignment or sale of the secured asset(s).

Date : 04.03.2023 **Sd/- Authorised Officer**
Place : Bangalore **Union Bank of India**

AXIS BANK

Plot No. 41, Seshadri Road, Anand Rao Circle, Bangalore-560009

POSSESSION NOTICE APPENDIX-IV (RULE 8 (1))

WHEREAS: The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of the **AXIS BANK LTD,** Under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act , 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13(12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued, a demand notice, dated **02.01.2023** calling upon the **(1)Mrs. Pushpa** D/o Nagaraju G, No 31, Manjunateshwara Prasanna, 2nd main, 5th cross, Vivekananda Nagara, Near Bright School, Hoskote, Bangalore rural- 562114, **Also at : Mrs. Pushpa,** #173, Shiva garden, near Bright School, Hoskote, Bengaluru Rural-562114. **(2) Mr. Nagaraj G** S/O Gundappa, No 31, Manjunateshwara Prasanna, 2nd main, 5th cross, Viveknanda Nagara, Near bright School, Hoskote, Bangalore Rural – 562114. **Also at: Mr. Nagaraju.G,** #173, Shiva garden, near Bright School, Hoskote, Bengaluru Rural-562114, to repay the amount **Rs.95,83,612/-(Rupees Ninety five lakhs eighty three thousand six hundred and twelve Only)** being the amount due as on **01/05/2022** mentioned in the notice towards the **loan account no. 917030028756251 & 91703002875624** within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrowers having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrowers and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under section 13(4) of the said Act, read with Rule 6 & 8 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on this **07.03.2023.**

The borrowers in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the **AXIS BANK LTD,** for an amount **Rs.95,83,612/-(Rupees Ninety five lakhs eighty three thousand six hundred and twelve Only)** being the amount due as on **01/05/2022** and interest thereon.

The borrower's attention is invited to the provisions of Sub Section (8) of Section 13 of the SARFAESI Act, 2002 in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

DESCRIPTION OF MORTGAGED PROPERTY

Schedule- A : All that piece and parcel of the propery situated in Bangalore Rural District, Hoskote Town, Sulibele Road, Near Idga Ground bearing Municipal Khata No 362/2/4 site No 28 measuring from East to West 30 feet and from North to South 40 feet and totally measuring 30 into 40 feet= 1200 square feet, a open site bounded as follows : EAST: 25 feet road, WEST: Venkatammas Layout, NORTH: Site No 27, SOUTH: Site No 29

Schedule B : All that Piece and parcel of the property situated in Bengaluru Rural District, Hoskote Town, Sulibele Road, Near Idga Ground, Ward No 5 bearing Municipal Khata no 362/3 site No.31 measuring East to West 30 feet and North to South 40 feet measuring Ground Floor of 8.16 Square meters, and in first floor having 8.16 Square meters and second floor having 8.16 meters and a RCC building measuring 24.48 Square meters with Red oxide on the ground, window and door and house is built up of forest tree and open site bounded as follows: East By : 25 feet road, West By : Venkatammas layout, North By : Site No 30, South by : Site No 32.

For any clarification please contact Mr. Nandish B (Mob) +91 919986043776

Date : 07.03.2023 **Sd/- Authorised Officer**
Place : Bangalore **Axis Bank Ltd.**

Ministry of Electronics & Information Technology (MeitY) Unique Identification Authority of India (UIDAI) 4th Floor, Bangla Sahib Road, Behind Kali Mandir, Gole Market, New Delhi - 110001

AADHAAR

Vacancy circular for filling up various posts on deputation (Foreign Service term basis) at Regional Office, Bengaluru and State Office, Thiruvananthapuram.

UIDAI invites applications for filling up the following posts on deputation (Foreign Service term) basis at its Regional Office at Bengaluru and State Office, Thiruvananthapuram from the suitable and eligible officers as per the details given under:

Name of post	Regional Office, Bengaluru	State Office , Thiruvananthapuram
Section Officer	2	-
Assistant Section Officer	1	1

The application may be furnished in the prescribed proforma and forwarded to Director (HR) of concerned office. The last date for receipt of applications complete in all respect is **23.03.2023.** Since these vacancies are to be filled up on deputation basis, private candidates are not eligible.

Further details including address for sending the application form may be obtained from the website www.uidai.gov.in.

Director (HR)

Now Aadhaar Enrollment & Updation Facilities can also be availed at Aadhaar Seva Kendra (ASK). To locate one near you, visit UIDAI.GOV.IN or Call 1947.

CBC 54103/12/0038/2223

SYMBOLIC POSSESSION NOTICE

ICICI Bank **Branch Office:** ICICI Bank Ltd. 4/10, Mythree Tower, Bommanhalli Hosur Main Road Bangalore- 560068

Whereas

The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of ICICI Bank Limited under the Securitisation, Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) rules 2002, issued demand notices upon the borrowers mentioned below, to repay the amount mentioned in the notice within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

As the borrower failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken Symbolic possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/ her under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said rules on the below-mentioned dates. The borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of ICICI Bank Limited.

Sr. No.	Name of the Borrower/ Loan Account Number	Description of Property/ Date of Symbolic Possession	Date of Demand Notice/ Amount in Demand Notice (Rs.)	Name of Branch
1.	Syed Aathif/ Shabreen Banu M/ LBBNG00005484665	Schedule 'A' Property All That Piece And Parcel Of Residential Converted Land Bearing Sy. No. 42, Presently Bbmp Katha No.1538/42, Measuring 2 Acre 20 Guntas Out of 3 Acres 08 Guntas, (as Per Conversion Order), Situated At: Thindlu Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Duly Converted For Non-agricultural Residential" Purpose Vide Official Memorandum No. Aln(nay) Sy.88/2006-07, Dated: 03 11-2008, Issued By The Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore And Bounded On: East By: Land of Sri.govindappa And Nagarajappa, West By: Road And Remaining Land of Owners, South By : Land of Sri. Muniswamappa. Schedule 'B' Property All That Piece And Parcel Of Residential Apartment Bearing No. B-318, In Third Floor, of The Apartment Building Known As "Sumadhura's Mathrushree Residency", At Thindlu Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore- 560097, Having A Super Built Up Area of 1570 Sq.ft, Vitrified Tile Flooring Comprising Three (03) Bedrooms, Three (03) Toilets, Living, Dining, Kitchen Utility And Two (02) Balconies Together With One (01) Covered Car Parking Space And Together With 629 Sq.ft of Corresponding Undivided Share of Land In The Schedule A Property And Common Facilities/amenities, And Bounded By: East By : Fencing of Sumadhura Mathrushree Residency; West By : Common Area And Apartment No.317 North By: Open Area/common Area And Apartment No.320 South By: Common Area And Apartment No.316 (Super Built Up Area Includes The Propionate Share In The Common Area Such As Passages, Lobbies, Lifts, Staircase, Clubhouse And Enjoyment of All The Facilities of The Club And Other Areas of Common Use.)/ Date of Symbolic Possession On/03/03/2023.	11.11.2022 Rs. 77,04,363/-	Bangalore
2.	Leaf Furniture Private Limited/ Subramani K M/ Kumaresh R G/ LBBNG00005318379	Schedule A Property (entire Property) All That Property Bearing Bda No.54, Measuring East To West 60ft. And North To South 40ft, In All Totally Measuring 2400sq.ft., Carved Out of Sy. No.11, Situated At Sreenivagilu Amanikere Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, In The Layout Known As The Shanthinagar Hbcs Limited At Sreenivagilu And Jakkasandra Villages Of Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk And Now Developed As Nirvana" And Bounded By: East: Plot No.41; West : Road; North: Plot No.55; South : Plot No.53; Schedule 'B' Property: (Apartment Hereby Agreed To Be Conveyed) All That Residential Apartment Bearing No.02 In First Floor Being Built In Schedule 'A' Property And Measuring 2010 Sq.ft., of Super-built-up Area And Proportionate Share In Common Areas Such As Passages, Lobbies, Lifts, Staircases And Other Areas of Common Use With 01 (one) Covered Car Parking Space In The Stilt Floor Together With 1/4th Undivided Share, Right, Title, Interest And Ownership In The Schedule 'a' Property Which Comes to 600sq.ft., And The Apartment Is Bounded By: East : Site Bearing No:41; West : Road; North: Site Bearing No.55; South : Site Bearing No.53. The Walls Are Built Out Of Brick And Cement With Rcc Roofing And Vitrified Flooring. It Is Provided With Amenities Like Electricity, Water And Sanitary Connections. The Wood Used Is Teak Wood For Main Entrance Door And Hard Wood For Doors And Windows Of Aluminum Panels./ Date of Symbolic Possession On/03/03/2023.	05.11.2022 Rs. 1,40,94,547/-	Bangalore
3.	N Nagabhushana/ N Vanitha/ LBBNG00004881373	Schedule 'A' Property: (Entire Property) All That Property Bearing Bda No.54, Measuring East To West 60ft. And North To South 40ft., In All Totally Measuring 2400 Sq.ft., Carved Out of Sy No.11, Situated At Sreenivagilu Amanikere Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, In The Layout Known As The Shanthinagar HBCS Limited, And Bounded By East: Plot No.41; West: Road; North: Plot No.55; South: Plot No.53; Schedule 'B' Property: (Apartment Hereby Agreed To Be Conveyed) All That Residential Apartment Bearing No.01 In Ground Floor Being Built In Schedule 'A' Property and Measuring 2010sq.ft., of Super-built-up Area And Proportionate Share In Common Areas Such As Passages, Lobbies, Lifts, Staircases And Other Areas of Common Use With 01 (one) Covered Car Parking Space In The Stilt Floor Together With 1/4th Undivided Share, Right, Title, Interest And Ownership In The Schedule 'a' Property Which Comes to 600sq.ft., And The Apartment Is Bounded By: East :site Bearing No.41 West: Road; North: Site Bearing No.55; South :site Bearing No.53.; The Walls Are Built Out of Brick And Cement With Rcc Roofing And Vitrified Flooring. It Is Provided With Amenities Like Electricity, Water And Sanitary Connections. The Wood Used Is Teak Wood For Main Entrance Door And Hard Wood For Doors And Windows of Aluminum Panels./ Date of Symbolic Possession On/03/03/2023.	05.11.2022 Rs. 1,46,88,773/-	Bangalore
4.	Arnav Tandon/ LBBNG00005829057 LBBNG00005864325	Schedule 'A' Property (Description of The Entire Property) All That Piece And Parcel Of The Converted Land Bearing Sy. No.48/4 Measuring 10 Guntas, Sy.no.55/1 Measuring 8¼ Guntas And Sy. No.39/10 Measuring ¾ Guntas In All Measuring 19 Guntas Situated At Kengeri Village, Presently Comes Under BBMP Limits Bearing Katha No.4961, 39/10/48/4/55/1, Kengeri Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Duly Converted Into Non-agriculture Purpose, Vide Om No. ALN[S][KAM]SR-78/2009-10 Dated 3-8 2010, Issued By Special Dc, Bangalore District, Bangalore, And Bounded On The: East By : Road West By: Passage North By : Sri. P. Shivakumar's Land; And South By: Sri Beerappa, Ramakrishnappa And Others Land Schedule 'B' Property (Description of Undivided Land Share Hereby Conveyed) 310 Sft., of Undivided Share, Right, Title, Interest And Ownership In Schedule-a Property Schedule 'C' Property (Description of Apartment Hereby Conveyed) All That Property Being Two Bedrooms, Hall, Kitchen Residential Apartment Bearing No.001 In Ground Floor of The Development Known As "Dream Delight" And Presently Bearing Bbmp Katha No.4961/39/10/48/4/55/1 Gf-001 With 1150 Sft., of Super Built Up Area Along With One Car Parking Slot No.01, In Stilt Floor. The Apartment Is Having Vitrified Tiles Flooring And Jungle Wood Windows./Date of Symbolic Possession On/03/03/2023.	14.11.2022 Rs. 60,33,802.00/-	Bangalore
5.	Usha M Bhat/ Mahabaleshwara Bhat/ LBBNG00005088420	(as Described In The Loan Document/ Property Document Covering All The Piece And Parcel of The Property Bearing Municipal No.46, (Old No.161, (Previous No.161/46s,5th A Cross) 6th Main Road, Having BBMP Pid No.2-110-46, Sundar Nagar, Gokul Extn., Bangalore-560054 Measuring 40 Feet X 52 + 43.6/2 = 47 ¾ Feet Totally Measuring 1912 Sq Ft And Bounded As Follows :- North: Site No 160 South: 25 Feet Wide Road, 6th Main Road East: Bel Property; West: Site No 162./ Date of Symbolic Possession On/03/03/2023.	05.11.2022 Rs. 1,76,02,279.00/-	Bangalore

The above-mentioned borrowers(s)/ guarantors(s) are hereby given a 30 day notice to repay the amount, else the mortgaged properties will be sold on the expiry of 30 days from the date of publication of this Notice, as per the provisions under the Rules 8 and 9 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002.

Date : March 08, 2023 **Authorized Officer**
Place : Bangalore **ICICI Bank Limited**

TWO

Italian air force pilots were killed on Tuesday during an exercise when the light aircraft they were flying collided mid-air

GLOBAL WEATHER

LR: Light Rain ● HR: Heavy Rain ● SW: Snow ● TDS: Thundershower ● LC: Light Cloud ● SNY: Sunny

Beijing	19	2	TDS	Los Angeles	16	7	LC
Colombo	31	24	LC	Melbourne	18	12	HR
Dhaka	34	22	TDS	Moscow	-1	-3	HR
Dubai	31	22	SNY	New York	9	1	LC
Houston	29	20	SNY	Singapore	29	24	TDS
Istanbul	16	11	LC	Toronto	2	-4	LC
London	4	2	LC	Washington	12	0	LC

FINGER POINTING

Xi accuses US of leading West to suppress China

Min Qin Gang says Beijing & Washington heading to conflict

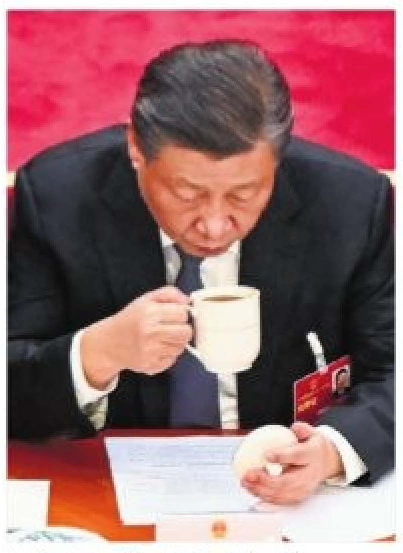
BEIJING

PRESIDENT Xi Jinping has accused the United States of leading Western nations to suppress China's development which, he said, brought unprecedented challenges to the country's development.

"Western countries, led by the US, have implemented all-round containment and suppression of China, which has brought unprecedented severe challenges to the country's development," Xi said, the Hong Kong-based *South China Morning Post* reported quoting official media.

Speaking at a panel discussion on the sidelines of the annual parliamentary session on Monday, Xi said that the external environment for the country's development had changed rapidly, and there was a significant rise in uncertainty and unpredictable factors.

"In the face of profound and complex changes in the international and domestic environment, we must remain calm, maintain concentration, strive for progress while maintaining stability, take action,


Xi Jinping, China's President | AFP

be united and dare to struggle," Xi said.

Meanwhile, Chinese Foreign Minister Qin Gang also warned on Tuesday that Beijing and Washington are headed for "conflict and confrontation" if the US doesn't change course, striking a combative tone at a moment when relations between the rivals are at a historic low.

Qin's harsh language appeared to defy predictions that China might abandon its aggressive "wolf warrior" diplomacy in favor of more moderate rhetoric as the two countries face off over trade and technology, Taiwan, human rights and Russia's invasion of Ukraine.

"If the US does not hit the brake, but continues to speed down the wrong path, no amount of guardrails can prevent derailing and there surely will be conflict and confrontation," said Qin. "Such competition is a reckless gamble, with the stakes being the fundamental interests of the two peoples and even future of humanity."

Asked about Qin's and Xi's comments, White House National Security Council spokesman John Kirby said that the US policy on China has remained consistent.

"There is no change to the United States' posture when it comes to this bilateral relationship," Kirby said. "The president believes those tensions obviously have to be recognised, but can be worked through. We again seek competition not conflict." *Agencies*

Massive blast in Bangladesh kills at least 17, locals blame it on chemical stockpile

DHAKA

AT least 17 people, including two women, were killed and over 100 others injured on Tuesday in a powerful "earthquake-like" explosion at a seven-storey building in Bangladesh's capital city, police said.

Eleven firefighting units, comprising 200 firemen, were mobilised at the spot after the blast, which occurred around 4.50 pm (local time) at Old Dhaka's crowded Gulistan area, the fire service control room said.

"Sixteen bodies have been found (so far), but the toll could rise as the rescue operation is underway," a fire service official said. One person succumbed to his injuries at the hospital, raising the toll to 17.

"Most of the deaths were caused by brain hemorrhage," Health Minister Zahid Maleque said.

Firefighters work amidst debris following an explosion inside building in Dhaka, Bangladesh on Tuesday. More than 100 were injured in the blast | AFP

The cause of the explosion is not known, but local residents suspected chemicals illegally stored inside the building, mostly used as an office and business complex, might have sparked the blast.

"At first, I thought it was an earthquake. The entire Siddik Bazar area was shaken by the blast," eyewitness Safayet Hossain, a local shopkeeper, told *The Daily Star* newspaper.

The Rapid Action Battalion's bomb disposal unit was rushed to the spot to inspect the buildings.

Dozens of injured were taken to Dhaka Medical College Hospital, said DMCH police outpost inspector Bacchu Miah. He added that all of them were receiving treatment at the hospital's emergency unit.

In a message, Bangladesh President Mohammad Abdul Hamid prayed for the salvation of the departed souls and conveyed his deepest sympathies to the bereaved families, the *Dhaka Tribune* newspaper reported.

Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina, who is currently in Doha for the United Nations Conference on the Least Developed Countries, prayed for the peace of the departed and urged authorities to take prompt action to ensure better treatment of the injured, the report said, quoting Prime Minister's Press Wing sources. *PTI*

China agrees to restructure loans, says Sri Lankan prez

COLOMBO

CHINA has given assurances that it will support Sri Lanka's debt restructuring, clearing the biggest hurdle for the debt-ridden country to secure a much-needed $2.9-billion bailout package from the IMF, President Ranil Wickremesinghe said on Tuesday.

In January, India strongly backed the island nation's efforts to secure a loan from the global lender to recover from its worst-ever economic crisis.

"Last night, we received a new letter from the EXIM Bank of China. I and the governor of the Central Bank signed our letter of intent and sent it to the International Monetary Fund (IMF) last night itself," Wickremesinghe told the Parliament.

Wickremesinghe said, "Our part of obligations are now complete and we hope the IMF will do their duty by the third or fourth week of this month. This will enable us to receive funding from the world bank and the ADB."

China's agreement to restructure its loans to Sri Lanka paves the way for International Monetary Fund financing to the bankrupt island nation, the IMF said on Tuesday, adding this would also speed up funding from others.

"Sri Lanka has now received financing assurances from all major bilateral creditors," said Krishna Srinivasan, director of IMF's Asia and Pacific Department. *Agencies*

Sri Lanka to hold local election on April 25

Sri Lanka's election commission on Tuesday announced April 25 as the new date for the local poll. The order came as a result of the chief opposition Samagi Jana Balawegaya party filing a fundamental rights petition in the apex court, calling for a writ against officials denying funds necessary to conduct elections.

Rescue team inspecting damages and searching for victims following landslides in Natuna islands, Indonesia on Tuesday | AFP

Indonesia landslide: Many trapped, rescue on

JAKARTA

MORE rescuers and heavy machinery will be sent to Indonesia's disaster-hit Serasan Island to search for dozens still missing after a deadly landslide, a disaster official said on Tuesday. The landslide struck Monday in the remote Natuna region between Borneo and peninsular Malaysia.

Poor weather and downed communication lines have complicated rescue efforts on the island, which is home to about 8,000 people. Pictures provided by Natuna's communication and information agency showed houses reduced to rubble, with fallen trees and torn roofs.

Body bags were lined up on top of a blue tarpaulin as officials gathered to pray for the victims. Rescuers have managed to find 11 bodies so far, but villagers put the toll at 15, as per Abdul Muhari, spokesperson for the national disaster mitigation agency (BNPB).

Another 47 people are still missing, while at least 1,200 people have had to seek shelter because of the disaster, Muhari further added.

"There are 82 search and rescue personnel on Serasan Island. 15 more officers from Jakarta will join the effort tomorrow," he told *AFP* on Tuesday evening.

Heavy-duty vehicles, along with two helicopters, will also help the search and aid distribution efforts Heavy rain has forced intermittent pauses in the rescue operation.

"The rain intensity is still quite high in Serasan," Muhari said, adding that the downpours have been lashing the island since the end of the last month.

"The team's safety is of utmost importance amid the high-intensity rain," he said. "We keep observing the weather, so as (it) improves, we will continue the search."

Rescuers were focusing their efforts along a stretch of road near a cliff where around 30 houses were reportedly buried by the landslide.

Muhari had earlier said that the agency was sending food and tents, as well as satellite communication equipment and two helicopters in a bid to establish communication lines and speed up aid. *AFP*

IN COLD BLOOD

2 boys guilty of Afghan Sikh teen's murder in Britain

LONDON

TWO teenagers have been found guilty of murdering an innocent 16-year-old Afghan Sikh refugee in London who they mistakenly thought belonged to a rival gang, according to Scotland Yard.

Vanushan Balakrishnan and Ilyas Suleiman, both 18, were convicted for the murder of Rishmeet Singh 'in cold blood' on Monday following a trial at the Old Bailey court in London. The duo will be sentenced at the same court next month.

"Rishmeet was an innocent, young 16-year-old who had his whole life ahead of him. He had just spent an enjoyable evening with his friends and was making the short walk home when he was callously chased down and knifed to death by Balakrishnan and Suleiman," said Detective Inspector Laura Semple, from the Metropolitan Police's Specialist Crime Command.

The police said that between them, the two teens stabbed Singh 15 times while he was 'defenceless on the floor.'

"There is never an excuse to murder someone in cold blood, but this case is made even more tragic by the fact that Rishmeet was wrongly targeted by his attackers..." said Semple.

During the trial, it emerged that Rishmeet Singh came to the UK in October 2019 with his mother and grandmother to seek asylum from Jalalabad in Afghanistan.

The court heard that in November 2021, Rishmeet had just left his friends and was walking home when he saw two unknown males running towards him. Rishmeet immediately ran back towards his friends and shouted 'run, run,' before he tripped and fell. One of his pursuers then stabbed him at least five times in the back. Seconds later, the second male also began to stab Rishmeet, at least 10 times. His attackers then fled, leaving his bloodied and injured body on ground. *PTI*

ASIA MATTERS

5th body found in floods; over 40,000 displaced

Malaysian police have found the body of a young woman trapped in a car that was swept away by rushing waters, the fifth death of seasonal floods that have also forced more than 43,000 people to flee their homes. Police said that a 23-year-old woman reported missing was believed to be driving to work on a flooded road in southern Johor state when her car was washed away. Rescuers retrieved the car hours later and found her body. A man driving to work in a palm oil plantation was similarly found dead recently after rescuers retrieved his car from floodwaters. Three older people also drowned.

Ministry aims to add 5,000 medical specialist graduates

The Indonesian Health Ministry is aiming to generate an additional 5,000 medical specialist graduates with the help of government and private scholarship programmes in 2023 and 2024. "We need a breakthrough to add the number of our specialist doctors... Easiest way is through scholarships. Last year, there were 600 applications...This year, we will open 2,500 quotas and another 2,500 quotas for next year," Health Minister said on Tuesday

444 billion baht spent on health during Covid-19

Thailand's Ministry of Public Health has revealed that the nation spent a total of 444 billion baht on public health during the three years of Covid-19. The ministry disclosed the cost of prevention, treatment as well as vacinnation for all citizens during 2020-22. As per a report, the cost of testing and treating people for Covid accounted for over half the total spending at 260 billion baht. Meanwhile, vaccine procurement and distribution expenses were estimated at 78 billion baht, based on an internal study. Also, the government spent 57.5 billion baht in compensation to victims.

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to bring to your kind notice, that my client **Mr.PRAN GOPAL BASAK,** aged about 76 years, S/o Late Sri.Harilal Basak, R/at No.6, Pragathi layout, Doddanekundi Main Road, Bangalore North, Bangalore-560037. has lost Registered sale deeds (I) dated 10/03/1982, registered on 25/03/1982, registered as document No. 7476/1981-1982, Book I, (II) dated 04/02/1980, registered on 11/04/1980, registered as document No. 6254/1979-1980, Book I, Both the above sale deeds registered before the office of The Sub-Registrar Bangalore South Taluk of the below mentioned Schedule.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of Conversion **site No.6, H.A.S.B.kaneshumari No.83, Situated at Doddnekkundi, K.R.Puram Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Presently Bangalore east Taluk**, Measuring East to west 44 Ft or 13.41 Mtrs and North to South 30 Ft or 9.14 mtrs, in all 122.56 mtrs, and bounded on:

East by : Site No.27; **West by :** Road;
North by : Site No.7; **South by :** Site No.5;

R. Santhosh Kumar Associates,
Advocates, Flat No.406, Motati Meadows, Nagavarapalya Main Road, Benniganahalli, Old Madras Road, C.V.Raman Nagar Post, Bangalore – 560 093.
Mobile No. 9008259999/08041718108.

IN THE COURT OF THE II ADDITIONAL CIVIL JUDGE & JMFC AT DEVANAHALLI
C.Mis. No. 59/2023

Between: Sri Kembyrappa & others ... PETITIONERS
AND: The Tahasildar ... RESPONDENT

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Petitioners have filed the above petition for the death certificate of Byamma, W/o Late Narayanappa was died on 03-05-2009 at Gobbaragunte Village, Kasaba Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk, Bangalore Rural District. If any parties who have objections may dispute regarding the same can appear before the Civil Judge & JMFC at Devanahalli and date of hearing on **15/04/2023** at **11:00 A.M.** in C.Misc.No. 59/2023.

By the Order of Hon'ble court, Chief Ministerial Officer, Civil Judge & J.M.F.C. Court, Devanahalli

Advocate for Petitioner
Sri M.B. MUNIVENKATEGOWDA
Office at No.30, Kanakamandira, Ground Floor, 5th Main Road, Gandhinagar, Bangalore-560009.

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the general public that my client **Mr. Subramani Krishnappa** is the absolute owner of the Property bearing Site No.29, BBMP Khatha Sl No. 854, Property No. 47/4-29, PID No. 192-W1466-2, Old Khatha No. 47/4, Chikkathogur Village, Begur Hobli, Bengaluru South Taluk, Measuring East to West 34 feet and North to South 42 feet, in all Measuring1428 Sq.feet. My client informs me that his vendor Mrs. Saraswathi had lost the Original Sale Deed dated 28-03-2005 (registered as Document No. BAS-1-33420/2004-05, Book I, stored in C.D. No. BASD153 executed in her favour, while renovating her house at No.7, Yallappa Street, Mavalli, Bengaluru. She had also lodged a Police Complaint in this regard on 31-12-2020. In the event any person finds or in possession of the above said original document, kindly handover the same to the below mentioned address **within 7 days** of the publication of this notice. The general public are cautioned not to act on the basis of the said original document.

SOMASHEKHARA .A.N, Advocate
No.105, 3rd Floor, MR Mansion, 12th D Main Road, Muthyalanagar, Bengaluru-560054.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the General Public that our client **M/s. S. S. Enterprises**, A Proprietorship Concern, Represented by its Proprietor, Shri. M. Venkatesh, S/o R. Manickam, aged abt 45 yrs, R/a No. 898, 'Madeswara Nilaya, 7th Cross, Subannapalya, M. S. Nagar Post, Bengaluru -33 was in a custody of **Original Gift Deed dated 25-05-2011, registered as document No.DNH-1-00900/2011-12, of Book-1, stored in CD No. DNHD 226, in the office of the Sub Registrar, Devanahalli** (pertains to sy no.191/1 referred and detail shown in schedule Property) and recently it was noticed on 28-02-2023, that the Original Gift deed dated 25-05-2011 was not traceable and as such a police complaint has been lodged before the Jurisdictional Police station on 07-03-2023 in E-lost report no.0493343/2023.

The finder of the aforesaid document may return the same to the undersigned. If any person has got any claim or right over the aforesaid property or aforementioned document, the same may be conveyed to the undersigned with documentary proof within **15 days** from the date of publication of this notice.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY
(pertaining to aforesaid original documents)

All that piece and parcel of the Residentially converted land bearing sy no.191/1,(old sy No.191) measuring 1 acre out of 2 acres, situated at Thindlu village, Kundana Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk, Bangalore Rural District, **East by:** Thippana land, **West by:** Remaining land of same sy no., **North by:** Thippanna land (Sy.No.190), **South by:** Narayanswamy and Krishnamurthy land (sy.no.8).

Naveen KR, Advocate,
For **Parisheel Advocates & Consultants,**
No.409, 2nd flr, 2nd Cross, I blk, RT Nagar, Bangalore – 32,
Mob-+919900619395
Dated 07/03/2023

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the General Public that our client has negotiated with Mr. S.Krishnappa, S/o Mr. Sonnappa, aged about 55 years, residing at Mylanahalli Village, B.K Halli Post, Jala Hobli, Yelahanka Taluk, Bengaluru, to purchase the Schedule Property for valuable consideration. It is represented to our client that Mr. S.Krishnappa, S/o Mr. Sonnappa, is the absolute owners of the Schedule Property and he is acquired the Schedule Property under the Sale Deed dated 11th April 2022, registered as Document No.409/2022-23. Any person(s) claiming any right, title or interest of whatsoever nature over the Schedule Property is called upon to lodge such claim with the undersigned, with supporting documents within 7 days from the date of this publication. In the event no such claim(s) is received within the stipulated time, it shall be lawful for our client to presume that there are no valid claim(s) adverse to Mr. S.Krishnappa, S/o Mr. Sonnappa, right, title and interest in the Schedule Property and proceeds with the proposed sale transaction.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the converted land in Sy.No.8/21(Old Sy.No.8/1B), measuring 9.08 Guntas out of 17.08 Guntaas, situated at Muttukadahalli Village, Dodda Jala Panchayath, Jala Hobli, Yelahanka Taluk, vide official memorandum No. 422548, dated 17.1.2023, issued by the Deputy Commissioner Bangalore District.

East by : Remaining Land in Sy.No8/12 belonging to Thippamma,
West by : Land belonging to KrishaMurthy,
North by : Land belonging to Lakshmipathi,
South by : Land belonging to R. Manjunath.

M/s. B.M. Associates,
Advocates & Consultants,
No. 7/1, Top Floor, G.J. Complex,
100 feet Road, Indiranagar I stage,
Bangalore -560 038.

PUBLIC NOTICE

My client **RAJAGOPALAN HARINI,** W/o. Mr. B. Arvind, Residing at No.135/6, S1, Shravanthi Nest, 14th Cross, 6th "C" Main, J.P. Nagar 3rd Phase, Bangalore - 560078, owner of Three Bed Rooms Apartment bearing No.S-1, in Second Floor, Measuring 1430 Square Feet of Super Built up area with proportionate share in common areas such as passages, lobbies, lift area, staircase and other areas of common use, in the building known as "SHRAVANTHI NEST", with one covered car parking space (slot No.7), along with 370 Square Feet Undivided right, title and interest in the Schedule 'A' Property, within the Jurisdiction of BBMP Ward No.177 (J.P. Nagar) PID No.57-146-135/6-7, Property Old No.135/6, Municipal No.135/6-7, New No.7, 6th "C" Main Road, 3rd Phase, J.P. Nagar, Bangalore, having acquired the same through a Gift Deed executed by her husband Mr. B. Arvind, the said Mr. B. Arvind, has purchased the said property from its previous owner Mr. L. Balakrishnama Naidu, through a Registered Sale Deed dated : 28/06/2004, Registered as Document No.BAS-1-07632/2004-05, Stored in C.D. No.BASD74, Book-I Registered in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Bangalore South Taluk, Mrs. Rajagopalan Harini, has lost the original Sale Deed dated : 28/06/2004, Regd. No.BAS-1-07632/2004-05, while shifting her residence, and in this behalf she has obtained online complaint Lost Report No.0486700/2023, date : 28/02/2023, if anybody finds / traces the said Original Sale Deed dated : 28/06/2004, it is requested to contact and handover to the undersigned Advocate.

Mr. D.K. RAMESHAPPA, ADVOCATE
No.23, 12th Main, 4th Block East, Jayanagar, Bangalore – 560011. Ph :994546441
Sd/- **RAJAGOPALAN HARINI**
Property Owner
PLACE : BENGALURU DATE : 06/03/2023

ದಾಖಲೆ ಕಳೆದು ಹೋಗಿದೆ

ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ನಗರ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆ, ನಂ.108/109, 4ನೇ ಮಹಡಿ, ಜೆಮಿನಿಯರ್ ಪ್ಲೈಡ್ ಬಿಲ್ಡಿಂಗ್, ಹೊಸ ತಿಪ್ಪಸಂದ್ರ ಮುಖ್ಯ ರಸ್ತೆ, ಬಿಇಎಂಎಲ್ ಸರ್ಕಲ್, ಹೊಸತಿಪ್ಪಸಂದ್ರ ಈ ವಿಳಾಸದಲ್ಲಿ ವಾಸವಾಗಿರುವ ರಾಕೇಶ್ ರೋಷನ್.ಬಿ.ಎಸ್‌ರವರ ಧರ್ಮಪತ್ನಿಯಾದ ಸುಮಾರು 36 ವರ್ಷ ವಯಸ್ಸಿನ **ಶ್ರೀಮತಿ ಕಾವ್ಯರಾಕೇಶ್** ಆದ ನಾನು ಈ ಮೂಲಕ ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕರಿಗೆ ತಿಳಿಯಪಡಿಸುವುದೇನೆಂದರೆ ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ಪೂರ್ವ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು, ವರ್ತೂರು ಹೋಬಳಿ, ಮುನೆಕೊಳಾಲ ಗ್ರಾಮದ ಹಳೇ ಸರ್ವೆ ನಂ.16,25, ಹೊಸ ಸರ್ವೆ ನಂ.46/6 ರ ವಿಸ್ತೀರ್ಣ 1 ಎಕರೆ 10 ಗುಂಟೆ ಜಮೀನನ್ನು ವಾಸದ ಉದ್ದೇಶಕ್ಕಾಗಿ ಭೂ ಪರಿವರ್ತನೆ ಮಾಡಿಸಿದ್ದು, ಸದರಿ ಆದೇಶದ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ ALN(EVH)SR/115/14–15 ರಂತೆ ದಿನಾಂಕ: 27–09–2014 ರಂದು ಭೂ ಪರಿವರ್ತನೆಯಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ಇದರಲ್ಲಿ ಎಂಗಿರುವ ಸೈಟ್ ನಂ.7, ಬಿಬಿಎಂಪಿ ನಂ.2939 ಸರ್ವೆ ನಂ.46/6, ಮುನಿಸಿಪಲ್ ನಂ.83 ರ ವಿಸ್ತೀರ್ಣ ಪೂರ್ವದ ಕಡೆ 32.1 ಅಡಿ, ಪಶ್ಚಿಮದ ಕಡೆ 30 ಅಡಿ, ಉತ್ತರದ ಕಡೆ 50.4 ಅಡಿ ಮತ್ತು ದಕ್ಷಿಣದ ಕಡೆ 50 ಅಡಿಗಳು ಒಟ್ಟು ವಿಸ್ತೀರ್ಣ 1552 ಚದರ ಅಡಿಗಳುಳ್ಳ ಶ್ರೀಮತಿ ಕಾವ್ಯರಾಕೇಶ್ ಆದ ನನಗೆ ಖಾತೆ ಶಿವಾಜಿನಗರ ಉಪನೋಂದಣಾಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳ ಕಛೇರಿ, 01462/2017–18, ಸಿಡಿ ನಂ.ಎಂಡಿಪಿಡಿ205ರಂತೆ ದಿನಾಂಕ: 18–05–2017ರಂದು ಶುದ್ಧ ಕ್ರಯ ಪತ್ರದ ಮೂಲಕ ಬಂದಂತಹ ಸ್ವತ್ತಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ಸದರಿ ಶುದ್ಧಕ್ರಯ ಪತ್ರದ ಮೂಲ ಪ್ರತಿಯು ದಿನಾಂಕ:21–02–2023ರಂದು ಮನೆ ಬದಲಾಯಿಸುವಾಗ ಕಳೆದು ಹೋಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ಎಷ್ಟೇ ಹುಡುಕಿದರೂ ಸಿಗದಿದ್ದ ಕಾರಣ ದಿನಾಂಕ 00–03–2023ರಂದು ಆನ್ ಲೈನ್ ಮೂಲಕ ಕಂಪ್ಲೆಂಟನ್ನು ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ಸಿಟಿ ಪೊಲೀಸ್ ಇವರಲ್ಲಿ ದಾಖಲಿಸಿದ್ದು, ಯಾರಿಗಾದರೂ ಮೇಲ್ಕಂಡ ದಾಖಲೆಗಳು ಸಿಕ್ಕಲ್ಲಿ ಅಥವಾ ತಮ್ಮ ವಶದಲ್ಲಿದ್ದರೆ ಕೆಳಕಂಡ ಮೇಲ್ಕಂಡ ವಿಳಾಸಕ್ಕಾಗಲೀ ಅಥವಾ ಹತ್ತಿರದ ಪೊಲೀಸ್ ಠಾಣೆಗಾಗಲೀ ತಲುಪಿಸತಕ್ಕದ್ದು.

PUBLIC NOTICE

It is brought to the notice of the general public that my clients Sri Jagdeesha .M and Sri Santhosh Kumar .P, Both are R/at No. 13, 2nd Main, 3rd Cross, Venkatadri Layout, Doresanipalya, B.G. Road Bangalore -76, intends to purchase the Schedule Property from Smt. Yamini Vora, W/o Sri Tarak Vora, R/at No. 690 J, Balaji Villa, 14th Main, 2nd Phase J.P. Nagar, Bangalore -78, who represents that she is the sole and absolute owner in peaceful possession and enjoyment of the Schedule Property and that the Schedule Property is free from all kinds of encumbrances whatsoever and that there are no third party claims or rights on the Schedule Property.

Any person/s having any claim/s over the Schedule Property or having any objection/s about the above mentioned transaction may write to the undersigned **within 15 (Fifteen) days** from the date of publication of this notice along with documentary evidence, on which they are basing their claim, failing which my client will proceed on the basis that there are no claim/s, objection/s of whatsoever nature.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of Western portion of immovable Residential property bearing No. 1 & 2, Khatha No. 145/1/1 & 2, situated at Nanjappa Layout Arekere B.G. Road, Bangalore -76, measuring East to West: 50-0 ft and North to South: 60-0 ft and totally measuring 3000 Sqft, out of 4800 Sqft along with the 22 Squares building, presently coming within the jurisdiction of BBMP ward No. 193 together with all appurtenances whether situated on, below or above the surface and bounded on the: **East by** : Remaining portion of VENDOR Property, **West by :** Site No. 3, **North by :** 25 ft Internal Road, **South by :** Property No. 44.

M. MUNEGOWDA,
Advocate & Consultant
No. 64/1, S.M. Plaza, 2nd Floor, Dr. D.V.G. Road, Basavanagudi, Bangalore -560004. Mob: 9342878205
Dated: 07-03-2023

IN THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL - II
Fourth Floor, BSNL Building, Beside GPO Bengaluru.

O.A. No. 200/2021

Between :
Union Bank of India
MID Corporate Branch,
Bengaluru ...**Applicant**
AND
Sri. I.P. Mallok Aradhya
S/o Inahalli Puttappa & Others.
...**Defendants**

SUMMONS DEFENDANTS UNDER RULE 23 (Viii) OF RDB ACT, 1993 (as amended)

To,
No.7. HDFC Bank Limited
Richmond Road Branch
Bengaluru-560025
...**Defendant No.7**

Whereas the Applicant has instituted an Application Under Section 19 of the Recovery of Debts Due to Bankruptcy Act, 1993 (as amended), against the Defendants No.1 and 2 for a sum of **Rs.86,90,13,847/-** as mentioned in the Original Application together with current and future interest and for other reliefs.

The above mentioned Defendant/s is/are therefore hereby directed to appear before this Hon'ble Tribunal in person or through an Advocate or duly authorized agent in support of his/their defense, within 30 days from the date of publication or on **26.04.2023 at 10.30 AM** as to why reliefs prayed for should not be granted.

Take Notice that in case of default, the Applicant will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of this Tribunal on this **6th day of February 2023.**

Registrar
Debts Recovery Tribunal-II
Bengaluru

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the General Public that our client has negotiated with Mr. R.Manjunatha S/o Late. Ramanjinappa aged about 56 years, residing at No. 227/1, 4th Cross, 10th Main, Motapanapalya, Indiranagar 2nd Stage, Bangalore-560 038, to purchase the Schedule Property for valuable consideration. It is represented to our client that Mr. R.Manjunatha S/o Late. Ramanjinappa is the absolute owners of the Schedule Property and he is acquired the Schedule Property under the Sale Deed dated 18th January 2021, registered as Document No.2665/2020-21. Any person(s) claiming any right, title or interest of whatsoever nature over the Schedule Property is called upon to lodge such claim with the undersigned, with supporting documents within 7 days from the date of this publication. In the event no such claim(s) is received within the stipulated time, it shall be lawful for our client to presume that there are no valid claim(s) adverse to Mr. R.Manjunatha S/o Late. Ramanjinappa right, title and interest in the Schedule Property and proceeds with the proposed sale transaction.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the converted land in Sy.No.8/23(Old Sy.No.8/1B), measuring 10.08 Guntas out of 17.08 Guntaas, Grama Panchayath katha PID No.150200200900520346, Muttukadahalli Village, Dodda Jala Panchayath, Jala Hobli, Yelahanka Taluk, official memorandum bearing No. 422550, dated 17.1.2023, issued by the Deputy Commissioner Bangalore District.

Boundaries:
East by : Land belonging to Venkataswamy,
West by : Land belonging to Krisha Murthy,
North by : Land belonging to Krishnappa,
South by : Road.

M/s. B.M. Associates,
Advocates & Consultants,
No. 7/1, Top Floor, G.J. Complex,
100 feet Road, Indiranagar I stage,
Bangalore -560 038.

PUBLIC NOTICE

My client namely Smt. B.S. Mahalakshmi, W/o. K.C.N. Chandrashekhar, aged about 60, R/at: 9/7, Yamunabai Road, MadhavaNagar, Shivajinagar, Bangalore 560001, she is the absolute owner, in lawful possession and interest of the schedule property, my clients husband namely K.C.N. Chandrashekar had purchased the schedule property under the registered sale deed dated: 06-06-2009, the said sale deed has been registered in the office of the sub registrar Jala, Vide Doc No. JA:-1-000317/2009-10, Stored in CD No. JALD-40, the said original document is missing / lost, as such my client had lodged complaint before the Bangalore City Police on 26-08-2022, which was registered as Lost Report No. 0304025/2022.Thereafter the pouthi katha was mutated in my client name Vide MR No. H4/2022-23, and the same the present katha is standing in the name of My client, as such my client intends to Sell the schedule property to the prospective purchasers or one Sri. Chandra Murali, residing at Arebinnamangala Village, Jala Hobli, Yelahanka Taluk, Bangalore. If any person/s who claims any right, title or interest of any nature or any lien /charge or enforceable right in relation to the schedule property has any objection of any nature to the transaction should lodge such claim/objection in writing to the undersigned together with supporting documents **within 15 days** thereof, failing which it will be presumed that no valid claim/s or objections subsists and our client would proceed to complete the sale transaction with the present owner thereof subject to compliance of statutory and legal formalities.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of the Land bearing New Sy No. 12/4, Old SY no.12/2, measuring 11 Guntas of land, situated at: Arebinnamangala Village, Jala Hobli, Yelahanka Taluk, Bangalore Urban District and bounded on: **East by:** Remaining portion in Sy No. 12/2, **West by:** Land belongs to Pavithra, **North by:** Land of Sy No. 11, **South by:** Remaining portion in SY no. 12/2

MURTHY .A, Advocate
No. 1, 5th Main, Opp. Big Market &ICICI Bank, Bagalur Main Road, Vinayakanagar, IAF Post, Bangalore-560063.
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NCLT nod for Suraksha Group's Jaypee bid

Tribunal dismisses objections raised by Yamuna Expressway Industrial Development Authority and ICICI Bank

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

IN a relief for over 20,000 homebuyers who have been waiting for possession of their homes spread across Noida and Greater Noida for over a decade, the National Company Law Tribunal (NCLT) on Tuesday approved Mumbai-based Suraksha Group's bid to buy Jaypee Infratech (JIL), nearly six years after the firm entered the insolvency process.

The NCLT dismissed the objections raised by Yamuna Expressway Industrial Development Authority and ICICI Bank and reserved its order on Suraksha's bid to acquire JIL in November 2022. The fresh ruling comes nearly two years after the Committee of Creditors (CoC), which includes banks and homebuyers, gave its nod to Suraksha Group's offer over state-owned NBCC.

A two-member Principal bench of NCLT headed by President Ramalingam Sudhkar approved the resolution plan and said a monitoring panel will be set up by the applicant Interim Resolution Professional (IRP) in seven days that would take all necessary steps for expeditious implementation of the resolution plan.

The successful resolution applicant should deliver the units for possession by the homebuyers as per the time frame promised in the resolution plan, the bench said. JIL homebuyers described NCLT's order as a "real Holi gift" and hoped Suraksha will deliver the flats as per the proposed timeline.

JIL was among the first list of 12 firms against whom the RBI had directed the banks to approach NCLT for initiation of insolvency proceedings. While the Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code (IBC) mandates a Corporate Insolvency Resolution Process (CIRP) to be completed within a limited time frame, JIL was an exceptional case that faced several rounds of litigations. Suraksha had offered to bankers over 2,500 acres of land and nearly ₹1,300 crore by way of issuing non-convertible debentures. It has proposed to complete pending flats over next four years.

On NCLT order, it said, "The SRA (successful resolution applicant) shall deliver/provide possession of the units to the homebuyers/allottees as per the time frame promised in the resolution plan and approved by this Authority. The Monitoring Committee will supervise and monitor the progress of construction of units and related infrastructure developments on a day-to-day basis and file the progress report before this Adjudicating Authority on monthly basis.

The order noted the Interim Resolution Professional, Anuj Jain, shall stand discharged from his duties immediately after constituting the Monitoring Committee(s) as provided in the Resolution Plan.

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CHINA

CHINA'S TRADE FALLS AS DEMAND FROM WESTERN WEAKENS

As the US and European demand weakened in the face of interest rate hikes, China's trade fell in January and February. The fall is adding to pressure on China's efforts to revive economic growth following the end of anti-virus controls. As per customs data, China's exports fell 6.8% from a year earlier to $506.3 billion, an improvement over December's 10.1% fall. Imports declined 10.2% to $389.4 billion, deepening December's 7.3% contraction. Its global trade surplus for the two months edged up 0.8% over a year earlier to $116.9 billion. Forecasters expected trade to weaken as the likelihood of a recession in Western economies rose following rate hikes by the US Fed and European Central Bank to cool down inflation. Beijing on Sunday set this year's growth target at 'around 5%' while the ruling Communist Party tries to encourage consumer demand to cut reliance on exports and investment.

PAKISTAN

PAK TELLS IMF IT REQUESTED CHINA TO ROLL OVER $2 BN DEPOSITS: REPORT

Cash-strapped Pakistan has reportedly communicated to the International Monetary Fund (IMF) that it has requested China to roll over its $2 billion deposits for another year. The country is awaiting a much-needed $1.1 billion tranche of funding from the global lender. The News International newspaper reported citing sources,"We have already made request to the Chinese side for granting rollover of $2 billion State Administration of Foreign Exchange (SAFE) deposits, which is going to mature by the end of the ongoing month." As per the report, the Ministry of Finance and State Bank of Pakistan (SBP) shared their external financing plan in virtual talks with the IMF on Monday to strike a staff-level agreement with the Washington-based lender.

ASIA

ASIAN SHARES RISE AS INVESTORS WATCH FED MOVES, INFLATION

Asian shares traded higher on Tuesday on slew of economic data and awaited moves by the US Federal Reserve. Japan's benchmark Nikkei 225 increased 0.4% to 28,336.98, while Australia's S&P/ASX 200 gained 0.5% to 7,366.90. Hong Kong's Hang Seng jumped 1.2% to 20,850.18, while Shanghai Composite edged up 0.2% to 3,327.35. South Korea's Kospi rose 0.3% to 2,471.02. The Reserve Bank of Australia raised its key rate, cash rate target, 0.25 of a percentage point to 3.6%. It said though global inflation remains high, inflation in Australia is starting to subside. The hike was expected. Wall Street preformed mixed. S&P 500 rose 0.1% to 4,048.42 after coming off its first winning week. The Dow Jones Industrial Average gained 0.1% to 33,431.44, and the Nasdaq composite slipped 0.1% to 11,675.74.

Telecom PLI scheme attracts ₹1.2K cr investment

RAKESH KUMAR @ New Delhi

THE production linked incentive (PLI) scheme for telecom equipment manufacturers got an overwhelming response as the companies such as Samsung, Nokia and Jabil invested ₹1,181.25 crore in the country.

Government data suggests these investments generated products with sales value of ₹13,541 crore till January 31, 2023. The scheme, which was notified in 2021, also gave employment to 11,000 people in the telecom sector.

According to the figures released by the Department of Telecommunication (DoT) on Tuesday, till January 30, 2023, equipment worth ₹5,746 crore as well as products worth ₹7,794 crore were utilised in the country. "With the launch of 5G in India in October 2022 by the Prime Minister (Narendra Modi), the telecom sector is witnessing a capital expenditure cycle with investment of more than ₹1.5 lakh crore expected in 2023. Therefore, the actual result or success of the scheme will be shown this year," said an official from DoT.

Commerce ministry data suggests the country exported telecom instruments worth ₹80,490 crore from April 2022 to January 2023. It is up 90% yearly. However, the country imported electronic instruments worth ₹109,007 crore for the same period. The official also added that among the companies, Swedish equipment manufacturer Nokia exported the highest amount of equipment to Europe.

The government, to promote domestic manufacturing of telecom and networking products in India, launched the scheme in 2021. The scheme was amended in April 2022 to facilitate design-led manufacturing with an additional incentive of 1% over the existing incentive rates. So far, the government has granted approval to 42 companies, including 28 MSMEs, under the scheme for telecom and networking products. Out of this, 17 companies have applied for additional incentive of 1% under design-led-manufacturing criteria. These 42 firms have committed investment of ₹4,115 crore, which will generate additional sales of ₹2.45 lakh crore and create additional employment of more than 44,000 over the scheme period. Recently, the GX Group became the first shortlisted entity under the scheme to have received the incentive. The other selected companies are Samsung, Nokia, Jabil, Rising Star (Foxconn) and Flextronics as well as local players like HFCL, ITI, VVDN and Tejas Networks.

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Adani prepays ₹7,374 cr share-backed loans 2 years ahead of maturity date

ARSHAD KHAN @ New Delhi

Embattled Adani Group on Tuesday said it has prepaid ₹7,374 crore ($902 million) share-backed financing made by various international and domestic financial institutions, about two years ahead of its latest maturity date.

"In continuation of promoters' commitment to reduce the overall promoter leverage backed by Adani Listed Company shares, we would like to inform that we have prepaid share backed financing of ₹7,374 crore ($902 million) ahead of its latest maturity in April 2025," said Adani Group in a statement.

The conglomerate has pledged to prepay all share-backed remaining loans by the end of March 2023. "Along with the repayments done earlier in February, Adani has prepaid $2,016 million of share-backed financing, which is consistent with promoters' commitment to prepay all share-backed financing before March 31, 2023," noted the statement.

This is the third time in quick succession the Group has restored to prepay its loan to generate confidence among investors and lenders about its ability to meet debt obligations.

The billionaire Gautam Adani promoted group, whose net debt stood at ₹1.96 lakh crore as of December 2022, is easing concerns related to its credit profile after CreditSight had called it 'overleveraged' and US-based short seller Hindenburg Research alleged stock price manipulation by the promoters via offshore tax havens.

With the repayment of ₹7,374 crore to financial institutions, the following Adani listed company shares will be released – Adani Ports & Special Economic Zone Ltd: 155 million shares, representing 11.8% of the promoters' holding. Adani Enterprises: 31 million shares, representing 4.0% of promoters' holding. Adani Transmission: 36 million shares, representing 4.5% of promoters' holding. Adani Green Energy: 11 million shares, representing 1.2% of promoters' holding.

The Group's fresh repayment comes at a time when the conglomerate is having more roadshows in London, Dubai and several cities in the US to boost investor confidence days after it raised ₹15,446 crore from US-based GQG Partners.

EXPRESS READ

FB parent Meta to go for second round of layoffs

NEW DELHI: As layoffs continue in technology companies, social media giant Facebook parent firm Meta is reportedly planning to sack more employees as early as this week. According to a report, the Mark Zuckerberg-led company could reduce jobs over and above the 13% reduction in total workforce that took place in November last year. The reports suggest Meta has also been working towards flattening its organisation and giving buyout packages to several managers. Meta is also reportedly cutting and slashing whole teams that it deems non-essential as per its assessment. The company has completed a recent performance review of the employees, a signal that more job cuts are on the way.

SBI calls Rajan's recent remark 'ill-conceived, biased'

MONIKA YADAV @ New Delhi

TWO prominent financial institutions on Tuesday dismissed former RBI governor Raghuram Rajan's remark that India is dangerously close to "Hindu rate of growth".

Without naming Rajan, State Bank of India (SBI), in a report, called his argument 'ill-conceived', 'biased' and 'pre-mature' at its best when weighing the recent GDP numbers against the available data on savings and investments. On the other hand, Moody's Analytics said the country's domestic economy, rather than trade, is its primary engine of growth and the slowdown in economic activity late last year will only be temporary. As per the government data, India's GDP growth slowed to 4.4% in October-December, 2022, from 6.3% recorded in the previous quarter on account of low private consumption expenditure and contraction in the manufacturing sector due to decline in manufacturing and low private consumption expenditure.

"Apart from the fact that quarterly growth numbers are noisy and should be best avoided for any serious interpretation ...We find such argument ill-conceived, biased and premature at its best when weighing the recent GDP numbers against the available data on savings and investments," said SBI in its research report.

According to SBI, gross capital formation (GCF) by the government touched a high of 11.8% in financial year 2021-22 (FY22), up from 10.7% in FY21. This also had a domino effect on private sector investment that jumped from 10% to 10.8% over the same period. At the aggregate level, gross capital formation is supposed to have crossed 32% in FY23, the highest level since FY19.

In addition, the report said in FY22 gross savings rose to 30% from 29% in FY21. "The ratio is supposed to have crossed 31% in FY23, the highest since FY19. "Prima facie, a careful analysis shows that incremental capital output ratio (ICOR), which measures additional units of capital (investment) needed to produce additional units of output, has been improving. ICOR, which was 7.5 in FY12 is now only 3.5 in FY22. Clearly, only half of capital is now needed for the next unit of output," the report added. "Our take is that the slowdown late last year will be temporary and even salutary, helping to wring some of the demand-side pressures out of the economy without stopping it wholesale. On the external front, better growth in the US and Europe's incipient recovery will propel India at the mid-year mark," Moody's Analytics said.

"While high interest rates have slowed the domestic economy and curbed imports, external imbalances have widened, putting pressure on the rupee and adding to inflation," Moody's Analytics added.

CM releases vision docu to make K'taka $1 tn economy

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

CHIEF Minister Basavaraj Bommai on Tuesday released a vision document to make Karnataka a $1 trillion economy.

He said that in the pursuit of building "Nava Karnataka for Nava Bharat", a committee was constituted by the government. It recommended increasing the growth rate of the agriculture sector from 13.3% to 16.3%, industry from 8.8% to 16.8% and service sector from 14.7% to 16.9% for the overall growth rate at 16.8% by 2032.

A large number of recommendations of the committees has already been announced during this year's budget, the CM said.

"We propose to make the district a fulcrum of growth and development by strengthening capacity building, infrastructure support and delegation of powers to field level functionaries," the CM stated.

The report recommends liberalising the conversion of land for agro-processing industries to ease capital availability via bank loans, accelerated roll-out of the agri startup policy to foster industry partnerships, provide early-stage funding, develop incubation infrastructure and provide state support like incentives and concessions, promote growing of sandalwood as intercrop with horticulture crops and develop and rollout inland fisheries policy.

The report stated that per capita income has the potential to go up from Rs 3.05 lakh to Rs 12.96 lakh in 2032.

RBI eyes half million users in digital currency pilot project by July

SACHIN KUMAR @ Mumbai

THE Reserve Bank of India (RBI) is aiming to increase the number of customers in the pilot project for retail Central Bank Digital Currency (CBDC) to half a million by July this year from 90,000 customers currently.

RBI executive director Ajay Kumar Choudhary said on Tuesday the central bank is not in a hurry to launch the digital currency at national level and wants the process to happen gradually. "In the close user group, at this point of time, there are nearly 90,000 customers and nearly 9,000 merchants and we are targeting to scale up to half a million by June-July of this year," said Choudhary addressing a conference.

"We are going to test multiple tech architecture, multiple design features, multiple use cases, including offline programme, we are not in a hurry to implement it. Once we are comfortable and confident, about all aspects including cyber security and tech architecture then only we are going to roll out at the population level," he said.

The RBI on November 1, and December 1, 2022, launched the CBDC for wholesale and retail respectively. While the use case of the wholesale CBDC is limited to the settlement of secondary market transactions in government securities, the retail e-rupee-is being piloted within a closed user group (CUG) comprising participating customers and merchants.

The central government had announced the launch of the digital rupee from fiscal year 2022-23 onwards in the Union Budget tabled in Parliament on February 1, 2022.

As per the RBI, CBDC is aimed to complement rather than replace current forms of money and is envisaged to provide an additional payment avenue to users, not to replace the existing payment systems.

The RBI executive director said regulating and introducing innovation in fintechs is always a challenge. "Regulators need to keep an watchful eye on the risks by fintechs and big techs. The risk posed by fintech startups and big techs is different," said Choudhary.

Speaking at the same conference, managing director & CEO at National Payments Corporation of India (NPCI), said unified payments interface (UPI) transactions are expected to surge in coming years.

"I don't think UPI has achieved its potential yet. For a country like India, we should do 10x of what we are doing," said Asbe. "Realistically, if all of us continue the same efforts I believe that by two to three years, we will reach 1 billion transactions. By 2025, we should be able to achieve it," added Asbe.

Blue Star sees opportunity for fridge makers

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ Chennai

THE new quality control order (QCO) issued by the central government to maintain BIS certification will create a non-tariff barrier for import of commercial refrigerators, especially from China, Blue Star Managing Director B Thiagarajan said.

This will give competitive advantage and a level-playing for domestic manufacturing industry, he added. "Fly by operators who ship cheap products from China will be hit and can no longer compete with domestic players. Prior to the pandemic, domestic deep freezers were 30% costlier than that of imported from China." He was speaking at the launch of 15 new deep freezers of Blue Star in the city on Tuesday. The company claim to spend ₹100 to ₹150 crore per year for research and development. It has capacity expansion plans at its facilities in Dadra and Sri City. Thiagarajan said the company is looking at exporting its commercial refrigeration solutions to the Middle East market.

Torrent moves apex court against Reliance Capital's second round of auction

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ Mumbai

TORRENT INVESTMENTS has filed a plea in the Supreme Court challenging the National Company Law Appellate Tribunal's (NCLAT's) order to hold a second round of auction for Reliance Capital (RCap) assets.

The plea comes after the NCLAT last week allowed lenders of Reliance Capital to hold an extended challenge mechanism or second round of auction for the sale of the debt-ridden financial services company.

Encouraged by the decision, the Committee of Creditors (CoC) of RCap decided to hold a second round of auction for sale of company assets on March 20 in which lenders have asked bidders to offer a minimum of ₹8,000 in cash upfront. Torrent filed the plea on Tuesday against Vistra ITCL, debenture trustee acting on behalf of the committee of creditors. In the second round of auction, the lenders kept the minimum threshold or the bid starting value at ₹9,500 crore, with the subsequent round rising to ₹10,000 crore and by ₹250 crore in any round that follows.

In the first round of the challenge mechanism, Torrent had emerged as the highest bidder with a bid amount of ₹8,640 crore, while Hinduja Group firm IndusInd International Holdings Ltd (IIHL) was the second highest with ₹8,110 crore bid. The first round of the auction ran into a legal tangle after the IIHL made an all-cash bid of ₹9,000 crore to the lenders after the completion of the auction process.

Torrent challenged the IIHL bid in the NCLT, though the company itself revised its own bid of ₹ 8,640 crore by offering the entire amount in cash upfront as against ₹3,750 crore offered in the auction.

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the general public that my client intends to purchase the property described in the schedule hereunder written for valuable consideration from **Dr. SAKEY SRINIVAS**, Son of Chinnaiah & Ramakka. Any person/s having any claim or objection for the above said transaction may approach the undersigned along with documentary proof within 8 (EIGHT) days from the date of this notice, failing which my client will go ahead with the above said transaction as if no valid claims are subsisting and no one else has any manner of right, claim or interest over the schedule property.

SCHEDULE

All that immovable property together with structure comprising of Ground and First Floor standing thereon and bearing present BBMP No. 17, PID No.91-31-17, Situated at 1st Cross, S.K. Garden, in BBMP Ward No.61(old Ward No. 91), Bangalore-560046. Bounded on: **East by:** Private Property, **West by:** 1st Cross Road, **North by:** Property No. 17/2 (allotted to the share of Sakey Shamu), **South by:** Private Property

Measuring: East to West: 40 feet North to South: 30 feet Total measurement: 1200 square feet

KISHWAR HUSSAIN
ADVOCATE & CONSULTANT
Unit No. 158, 3rd Floor, Golden Plaza,
No. 11, Jumma Masjid (OPH) Road,
Commercial Street End,
Bangalore-560051.

PUBLIC NOTICE

My Client is an agreement holder for purchasing residential building constructed on site No. 645 BDA Layout in Sy. No. 36, Thurahalli Village, 2nd Block, Banashankari 6th Stage, Bangalore measuring East to West 10+9.50/2 Mtrs. and North to South 12 Mtrs in all measuring 117 Sq. Mtrs.

Bounded on:

East by : Site No. 644/B
West by : Road
North by : Site No. 630
South by : Road

Stilt, Ground, First, Second and Third Floors in all 48 Squares, RCC roofed, Italian Marble Flooring, doors and windows are of Teak with all civic amenities. from Mr. A. Hemanth Kumar, aged about 30 years, S/o. Mr. M. Aswini Kumar R/o. No. 4, 5th 'A' Cross, Ittamadu, 3rd Phase, BSK III Stage, Bangalore -560 085. Any person having any right, title, interest and claim whatsoever in and over the Schedule property or any liability, may lodge their claims/ objections with documentary proof with the undersigned **within 15 days** from the date of publication of this Notice, otherwise my client shall proceed to complete the Sale transaction as if there are no subsisting claims or objections and that all such claims or objections not filed in time shall be deemed / presumed to have been waived and shall not be binding on my client.

B. B. UMADEVI, Advocate,
No. 715, 1st 'C' Main, 8th Block, 8th
Block, Jayanagar, Bangalore -560 070.
Mob. 9343281627 ; Date: 07-03-2023.

PUBLIC NOTICE

My client intends to purchase the below mentioned Schedule Property from, **Sri S.SHEKAR SHERANGAR** son of Sri Kitta Sheragar, aged about 55 years, residing at No.171, Kariyamma Agrahara, Bellandur Post, Marathahalli Ring Road, Bengaluru-560 103, who claimed to be the absolute owner in possession of Schedule property. If any persons has any claim, right, title or interest in the Schedule Property or any objection to the proposed sale, the same may be communicated to the undersigned along with supporting documents within 15 days from this day, to the undersigned. If no such claims are received within the above said period my client will proceed to purchase the schedule property treating as there is no claim whatsoever to the schedule property.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that Part and Parcel of the Immovable Property bearing Residential vacant site bearing No.80, Assessment Katha No.40/3, form No.9, SI No.786 & Form No.11, SI No.796, Situated at Kodathi Village, Varthur Hobli, Bengaluru East Taluk, Bengaluru Urban Dist, measuring East to West 40 Feet and North to South 30 Feet totally measuring 1200 Sq Feet & bounded on:

East by : Site bearing No.68;
West by : Road;
North by : Site bearing No.79;
South by : Site bearing No.81;

SATHYANARAYANA.G, Advocate,
NO.84, 8th Main, 9th Cross,
Sadashivanagar, Bengaluru-560 080
Ph: 9343080908

GULBARGA ELECTRICITY SUPPLY COMPANY LIMITED

(A Government of Karnataka Enterprise)
Corporate Office, GESCOM, Kalaburagi, Pin Code.585 102.
Phone No: 08472 256881 E-mail: seeprojectsgescom@gmail.com

No.GESCOM/CEE(O)/SEE(Proj)/EEE/AEE/AE-2/2022-23/60671-81 Date : 04-03-2023

TENDER NOTIFICATION (Through e-procurement Mode only)

Gulbarga Electricity Supply Company Limited, Kalaburagi invites tender for the work of Establishing New 2x5MVA, 33/11kV Sub-Station at **Gorta (B) Village in Hulsoor Tq. Bidar District** and Construction of **24Kms** of 33KV S/C line (Out of which **12Kms** new line tapping from existing Muchlamba 33/11kV S/S to proposed Gorta (B) Station & **12Kms** Re-Conductoring from 110kV Sastapur MUSS to 33/11kV Muchlamba S/s) feeding from 110kV Sastapur MUSS to proposed Gorta (B) Sub-Station **on Total Turnkey Basis"** including supply of all equipment's/materials, erection (Including Civil Works), testing and commissioning under competitive bidding from eligible bidders through e-procurement portal. 1) Tender Enquiry Nos. : **No:GESCOM/CEE(O)/SEE(Proj)/EEE/AEE/AE-2/2022-23/ Gorta (B)/417,** 2) Name of Company : **GESCOM**

The bid documents will be available in **http:/eproc.karnataka.gov.in** on or after **10.03.2023,** the prospective bidders can obtain further details from the office of the undersigned.

DIPR/Kalaburagi/1438/MC&A/2022-23

Sd/- Chief Engineer Electy., (Operations),
Corporate Office, GESCOM, Kalaburagi.

IN THE COURT OF THE XLII ADDL. CITY CIVIL & SESSIONS JUDGE AT BANGALORE (CCH-43)
P & SC No. 836 / 2022
IN THE MATTER OF MANJULIKA SEN - DECEASED
IN THE MATTER OF SUCCESSION CERTIFICATE

BETWEEN : ASHOK SEN, S/o. Jitendranath Sen, Aged about 58 years, # 8064, Sobha Daffodi Apartment, 24th Main, Somasundara Palya, Near DHL Courier Office, HSR Layout, Sector-2, Bangalore South, Bangalore-560102. ...PETITIONER

AND : NIL ...RESPONDENT

NOTICE UNDER ORDER V RULE 20 (1A) R/W SECTION 151 OF CPC BY WAY OF PUBLIC NOTICE

WHEREAS, the petitioner above named has filed the above suit for probate and succession certificate Under Section 372 (Read With Section 373 And 374) of The Indian Succession Act, XXXIX of 1925 that the petitioner mother Manjulika Sen died on 24/06/2020 is the absolute owner of the suit schedule property and consequential relief of put the petitioner in possession of the suit schedule property. The hearing of the said case is fixed **on 03/04/2023 at about 11.00 a.m.** on that day you are hereby direct to appear before the court either in person or through your advocate to answer the claim, in default of in your appearance on that day the petition will be determined heard and decide in your absence.

SUIT SCHEDULE

All the piece and parcel of the BDA property bearing Site No.310, formed by the Bangalore Development Authority situated at Hosur-Sarjapur Road Layout, Sector-IV, Bangalore, presently under BBMP vide property No.226/310 measuring East to West 12.9 meters, North to South 18.28 meters in all measuring 223.83 sq.Mts is more fully described in the schedule bounded on:

East By : Site No.309, **West By :** Site No.311, **North By :** 40 Feet Road, **South By :** Site No.325.

Given under my hand and seal of the court on 06.03.2023.

By Order of the Court, Assistant Registrar, City Civil Court, Bangalore.

Advocate of Service: **Ravindra V. Reddy**
No. 1585, 60 ft Road 'B' Block, Sahakar Nagar
Bangalore-560 092. Ph. 9008733066

PUBLIC NOTICE FOR DOCUMENT LOST

My Client **Smt. Zakeera W/o. Late Sri. Zameer Pasah,** Aged about 75 years R/at No. 47, "Pasha Enclave" 9th Main Road, BTM 1st Stage, Bangalore-560 029, do hereby inform to the General Public that, She has misplaced/lost the Registered Sale deed dated 20.12.1979 executed by **Smt. V. Vijayalakshmi** in favour of **Sri. H.N. Ramaiah Reddy** in resepct of Schedule property Registered as Document No. 3151/1979-80. At the time of shifting the things from one room to another Room in my House on 04.01.2023.

My client Smt. Zakeera Bagum W/o. Zameer Pasha and her children namely Smt. Fasiya Begum, Afisiya Avez , Smt. Reshma Begum, Sri. Mujasim Pasha and his children to bring the notice of General public that, They are intend to Sell the Schedule property to Sri. Abdul Naqi S/o. late Abdul Khayum. If any person/s, firm, Company, Institution or Organization has any claim are holding the afore said mentioned document or any objection they may contact to undersigned in writing within **7 days** from the date of this notice failing which it will be presumed that, there are no claims or objections from any one.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of property bearing **site No. 10 old No. 38 in Sy No. 9/1** situated at **Lakkasandra, Bangalore** Measuring East to West 50 feet and North to South 30 feet totally measuring **1500 Sq. feet** and bounded on::

EAST BY: Private Property, WEST BY : 30 feet Road NORTH BY : Site No. 9, SOUTH BY : Site No. 11.

GAJANAN S.M. Advocate
No. 14/3, CFC Building Opp. RBI
NT Road, Bangalore-560001
M : 9590817733

Forest Department

Office of the Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Social Forestry & Projects),
5th Floor, Aranya Bhavan, 18th Cross, Malleshwaram, Bengaluru-560003

No:KFD:SFP:A2(BUD):4/2023-Projects-KFDE-1036047 **Date:04.03.2023**

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Applications are invited for appointment of State Level Adviser / Technical Consultant on contract basis for 2023-24 for Agroforestry component of Rashtriya Krishi Vikasa Yojane umbrella Scheme of Karnataka State Project under the Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare, Department of Agriculture, Co-operation & Farmers Welfare, Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi.

Sl No	Post	Qualifications, Experience and Criteria	Indicative remuneration
1	State Level Adviser/ Consultant	M.Sc. (Forestry) with minimum of 5 years' experience on Agroforestry activities OR Retired Forest Officer who has served in Karnataka Forest Department with good experience of Agroforestry activities of the state with minimum qualification of M.Sc., and 30 years of service. Criteria : ➢ Consultant / Adviser will be appointed initially for one year. Based on their performance, the period may be extended on an annual basis. ➢ Should be well–versed with administrative / field knowledge ➢ Bengaluru based ➢ To Work at Bengaluru Head Office	Rs.50,000/- per month or as per RKVY norms

Resume of eligible candidates along with a recent photograph should reach the Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Social Forestry & Projects) through e-mail apccfsf@gmail.com on or before 15th of March 2023.

DIPR/CP/5125/AKAR/22-23

Sd/- Addl. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests
(Social Forestry & Projects), Bengaluru

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL -1 BENGALURU

4th Floor, BSNL Building, Telephone House No.4, Residency Road, Bengaluru -560 001

SALE PROCLAMATION

Form No. 22

PROCLAMATION OF SALE UNDER RULE 38, 52(2) OF SECOND SCHEDULE TO THE INCOME TAX ACT, 1961 READ WITH THE RECOVERY OF DEBTS & BANKRUPTCY ACT, 1993

RC No. 187/2020 in OA No. 1713/2018

Bank of Baroda (e-Vijaya Bank), Infantry Road Branch
Vs. Sri. Rathnakar K. A. and Another

To:- 1. Sri Rathnakar K. A. S/o. Late Agaiah Gowda, R/o. No. 9, 4th Main Road, 7th Cross, Hoysala Nagar, Dooravani Nagar, Post, Bengaluru - 560 016. **2. Smt. Thejavathy A. U.** W/o. Sri Rathnakar K. A. , R/o. No. 9, 4th Main Road, 7th Cross, Hoysala Nagar, Dooravani Nagar, Post, Bengaluru - 560 016.
....Defendants/Certified Debtors

The under mentioned property will be sold by '**online e-Auction**' through web site: **https://drt.auctiontiger.net** on **17.04.2023** for recovery of an amount of **Rs.1,25,85,598.79** (Rupees One Crore Twenty Five Lakhs Eighty Five Thousand Five Hundred Ninety Eight and Paise Seventy Nine only) as on 27.01.2023 along with future interest @12.50% p.a. simple interest from 28.01.2023 till realization along with costs and expenses from the date of RC No.187/2020, ie.,08.05.2020 in OA No. 1713/2018

Date and Time of Auction	**on 17.04.2023 Between 11.00 a.m. to 12.00 noon** with auto extension condition i.e., the end time of e-auction will be extended by 5 minutes each time if bid is made within the last 5 minuties before closure of auction
Reserve Price	**Rs.65,74,000/-**
Earnest Money Deposit (EMD)	**Rs.16,43,500/-**
Bid Increment Amount	**Rs.50,000/-**
Last Date & Time of e-Tender form & EMD submission	**13.04.2023 before 12.30 P.M.**

SCHEDULE PROPERTY: Item No. 1 : All that piece and parcel of Residential House Property berearing Site No. 9, House List Khatha No. 191/3, situated at Horamavu Village, K. R. Puram Hobli, Bengaluru East Taluk, now 4th Main, Hoysalanagar, Dooravaninagara Post, Bengaluru, measuring East to West 30 feet, North to South 36 feet and bounded on East by : Site No. 8, West by : Site No. 10, North by : Property of Ankappa Reddy, South by : 25 ft Wide Road.

For Terms and condition of sale visit website: **https://drt.auctiontiger.net M/s e-procurement Technologies Limited (Auction Tiger), Ahmedabad** , (Contact Person : Praveen Thevar - 9722778828 E-mail id : ***karnataka@auctiontiger.net, ravi.m@eptl.in, praveenthevar@auctiontiger.net and support @auctiontiger. net.*** For further details contact: **Sri K. V. Subramanyam,** Chief Manager, Bank of Baroda, Infantry Road Branch, Bengaluru for ascertaining the details of property and also for inspection of property **(contact No.9448189202) e-mail : vjinfa@bankofbaroda.com.**

Given under my hand and seal on this the 1st Day of March 2023

Sd/- (Sanjiv Kumar)
Recovery Officer-1 DRT-1, Bengaluru

(Public Works Department)
Executive Engineer, Chikkaballapura Division, Chikkaballapura.

Invitation for Short-Term Tender (I.F.T.) No.: 16.-5/2022-23 Date:02.03.2023 (6th Call)

(For Road Works -As per Standard Bidding Document K.W.-4 in two cover system)

On behalf of the Governor of Karnataka, as per Karnataka Transparency in Public Procurement Act 2000, the Undersigned invites Tenders for works in two cover system through e-procurement portal from eligible Contractors registered in PWD. Those interested in participating in the tender can submit the tenders f**rom 03.03.2023 to 10.03.2023 up to 4.00 pm.** (1) Last date for objections-doubts and clarifications: 09.03.2023 (at 3.00 pm during office hours) (2) Last date for submission of filled tenders: **10.03.2023 (up to 4.00 pm)** (3) Date of opening Technical Bid: **13.03.2023 at 4.30 pm (4)** Financial Bid will be opened after approval of Technical Bid

For more information visit website **www.kpwd.gov.in** or contact this office during office hours.

Sd/- Executive Engineer,
P.W.D. Chikkaballapura Division, Chikkaballapura.
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STATE BANK OF INDIA

RACPC MALLESHWARAM (41161)
No.97, Railway Parallel Road, Kumarapark West, Bangalore -560020
Ph: 080 25943732, 25943720.Fax: 080 25943729/3730, Email Id: racpc.bz1@sbi.co.in

POSSESSION NOTICE

Under Rule 8(1) (For Immovable Properties)

WHEREAS, The undersigned being the Authorized officer of the State Bank of India under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 (54 OF 2002) and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued Demand Notices calling upon the following borrowers/guarantors to repay the amount mentioned in the notice with further interest/cost etc within 60 days from the date of the receipt of the said notice. Details of demand notices such as date of issue and loan outstanding amount are mentioned against each borrower hereunder.

1. **Name of the Borrowers** : **Sri. Vijaya Adithya** S/o Sri. Munishamappa No.1934/31, 2nd Cross, 1st Main, Govindrajnagar, Near Bescom Office, Bangalore-560079 And also at: 1) Arun Medicals and General Stores Prop: Sri Vijaya Adithya No.108/3, 22nd Cross Road, Govindraj Nagar, Vijayanagar, Near Bharath Bank, Bangalore-560040 2) Flat No.109, Ground Floor, "Eternity Ecstasy", Sy.No.34/4B, Begur Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore-560076
Demand Notice date : 15.12.2022 **Account No: HTL-38132283226**
Loan Outstanding amount as per demand notice: Rs.50,27,316/- (Rupees Fifty lakhs twenty seven thousand three hundred and sixteen only) as on 15.12.2022 + interest from 16.12.2022 + incidental charges etc. thereon.
Possession Taken date : 06.03.2023
Loan Outstanding amount : Rs.51,21,194/- (Rupees Fifty one lakhs twenty one thousand one hundred and ninety four only) as on 03.03.2023 and interest from 04.03.2023 plus expenses thereon.
Description of the immovable property: Description of Immovable property
SCHEDULE 'A' PROPERTY : SCHEDULE 'A' PROPERTY: All that piece and parcel of the immovable property bearing Sy.No.34/4B, (converted vide Official Memorandum No.ALN.SR (S) No.431/2003-04, dt: 29-09-2004), measuring 39 gutas, situated at Ward No.192, Begur Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk and bounded on: East by: Property of Koramara Shetty in Sy.No.34/4A & Lurdu Swamy, West by: Property bearing Sy.No.34/3 & Sy.No.34/4A & Road, North by: Property of Koramara Shetty in Sy.No.34/4A, South by: Property bearing Sy.No.45/1 & Rajendran.
SCHEDULE 'B' PROPERTY: 396 sq.ft of undivided share, right, title and interest in the Schedule 'A' Property.
SCHEDULE 'C' PROPERTY: Apartment bearing **Flat No.109**, on **Ground Floor**, measuring super built area of **995 Square Feet** in the Building **"ETERNITY ECSTASY"**, being constructed on the Schedule 'A' Property with the floors, ceiling and walls between units jointly belonging to the such Apartment Owners equally, including common area with One Covered Car Parking Slot bearing No.109. The construction is of Vetrified Flooring, Aluminium Windows And Sal Woods frames and Doors, separate Electricity, Common Water, including common area rights and held in the name of **Sri. Vijaya Adithya S/o Sri. Munishamappa** and bounded on: East by:Flat No.107, West by: Corridor & Flat No.111, North by: Set Back, South by: Corridor and Flat No 110 & 111.

2. **Name of the Borrower : Sri.Nagaraj L** S/o Sri. Lingaiah Residing at: No.36, Katha No.323, Lottegollahalli Village, RMV 2nd Stage, Kasaba Hobli, Muniramaiah Colony, Bangalore-560094 And also at: 1) No.18, Ground Floor, 2nd Main Road, Muniramaiah Colony, RMV 2nd Stage, Lottegollahalli, Bangalore-560094 2) Nishanth Prints Prop: Sri.Nagaraj L No.11/1, 8th Cross, Malleshwaram, Bangalore-560003
Demand Notice date : 30.09.2022
Account No: HTL: 35225602682, TL: 35225603028, TL: 36288746260
Loan Outstanding amount as per demand notice : Rs.28,65,795/- (Rupees Twenty eight lakhs sixty five thousand seven hundred and ninety five only) as on 30.09.2022 + interest from 01.10.2022 + incidental charges etc. thereon.
Possession Taken date : 03.03.2023
Loan Outstanding amount :Rs.29,98,408/- (Rupees Twenty nine lakhs ninety eight thousand four hundred and eight only) as on 03.03.2023 and interest from 04.03.2023 plus expenses thereon.
Description of the immovable property: All that piece and parcel of southern portion of site No.36, Khatha No.323, PID No.100-677-36, situated at Muniramaiah Colony, Lottegollahalli Village, Kasabba Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, measuring East to West 40 Feet and North to South 34 Feet, with house constructed thereon standing in the Name of **Sri.Nagaraj L** and bounded on: East by: Property No.35; West by: Property No.37; North by: Remaining portion of same No.36 belongs to K.Geetha; South by: Road.

3. **Name of the Borrower : Sri.Darshan Ramachandra** S/o Sri.Ramachandraiah Mayanna Gowda No.54, 1st Main Road, 4th Cross Road, Health Layout, Annapoorneshwari Nagar Opp.Vishveshwaraiah University, Vishwaneedam, Bangalore-560091 And also at: i) Flat No.T-302, 3rd Floor, 'Green Meadows', Rachenahalli Village, Bangalore- 560001 ii) K.B Enterprises No.90/1, GM Layout, Kanaka Nagar, Seegehalli Main Road, Bangalore-560091
Demand Notice date : 30.09.2022 A/c No: HTL-40539053644
Paper Publication : "The New Indian Express and Kannada Prabha" on 13.10.2022
Loan Outstanding amount as per demand notice : Rs.62,45,750/- (Rupees Sixty two lakhs forty five thousand seven hundred and fifty only) as on 30.09.2022 + interest from 01.10.2022 + incidental charges etc. thereon.
Possession Taken date : 04.03.2023
Loan Outstanding amount : Rs.64,99,854/- (Rupees Sixty four lakhs ninety nine thousand eight hundred and fifty four only) as on 03.03.2023 and interest from 04.03.2023 plus expenses thereon.
Description of the immovable property: SCHEDULE 'A' PROPERTY: All that piece and parcel of the immovable property bearing Site No.52, House List Khatha No.412 (BBMP Khatha No.531/412/52) measuring East to West 80 ft. and North to South 50 ft., totally measuring 4000 Sq.ft., formed in the converted land bearing Sy.No.70 (converted for residential purposes vide No.BDS.ALN.SR(SA) 294/ 1995-96, Dated 20.06.1996, issued by the Deputy Commissioner Bangalore, situated at Rachenahalli Village, earlier Dasarahalli Panchayath Area, K.R.Puram Hobli, earlier Banglaore South Taluk, now Bangalore East Taluk and bounded on the: East by: Road; West by: House Site No.63; North by: House Site No.53 and South by: House Site No.51.
SCHEDULE 'B' PROPERTY: All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Flat No.T-302 (Municipal Khatha No.531/402/52/10), Third Floor, Apartment called as **"GREEN MEDOWS"**, North facing, measuring 1133 sq.ft., of super built up area and undivided share in land of 288.60 sq.ft., with one covered car parking in the Schedule 'A' Property standing in the name of **"Sri.Darshan Ramachandra".**

The above mentioend borrowers/guarantor/ mortgagers having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrowers/guarantor/ mortgagers and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the properties described herein above in exercise of powers conferred on him under sub-section (4) of section 13 of Act read with rule 8 of the Security Interest Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on above mentioned date.

The borrowers//guarantor/ mortgagers in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the properties and any dealings with the properties will be subject to the charge of the **State Bank of India,** for amount mentioned against their names with further interest accrued and cost/ expenses thereon. The borrower's/guarantor's/mortgagor's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

Date : 06.03.2023
Place: Bangalore

Sd/- Authorised Officer & Chief Manager
State Bank of India, RACPC Malleshwaram Bengaluru

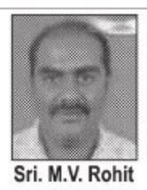
THE HANUMANTHANAGAR CO-OPERATIVE BANK LIMITED

H.O. : # 7/29, 3rd Main Road, 1st Cross, Hanumanthanagar, Bangalore-560 019, Telephone: 080-22428985, 26507976

POSSESSION NOTICE (Rule 8(1) (for immovable property)

Whereas the undersigned being the authorized officer of the **Hanumanthanagar Co-operative Bank Limited,** H.O. : # 7/29, 3rd Main Road, 1st Cross, Hanumanthanagar, Bangalore - 560 019 under the Securitisation & Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest (Second) Ordinance, 2002 (Ord.3 of 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(12) read with rule 9 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued and demand notice calling upon the undersigned borrowers/legal heirs to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice. The borrowers/legal heirs having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrowers/legal heirs and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under section 13(4) of the said Ordinance read with rule 8 of the said rule. The borrowers / legal heirs in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property an any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the **The Hanumanthanagar Co-op. Bank Ltd.,** Head Office No.7/29, 3rd Main Road, 1st Cross, Hanumanthanagar, Bangalore - 560 019.

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

Loanee Name	Balance Amount, Possession Date and Property Address	SCHEDULE
 Sri. M.V. Rohit Smt. Deepa Rohit Smt. Roopa S (Surety)	**Rs.1,09,61,328/-** **Subsequent interest and other charges from Date: 01-03-2023** **SCHEDULE – I** All the Piece and Parcel of the Property bearing Site No.2, (2/11/2), Part of Old No.15 & 16, formed in Converted Sy.No.11/2 of Yelachenahalli Village, Kanakapura Main Road, Now Comes under B.B.M.P. (Yelachanahalli Sub-Division) Bangalore.	**East to West :** 42'-00"+41'-5" Feet / 2 **North to South:** 49'-00" Feet **East by :** Site No 1 (Old No.15) **West by :** Site No 3 (Old No.16) **North by :** Private Property **South by :** Road.
 Sri P.C. Jagadeesh Smt. Uma Devi Sri J. Suraj Sri Ambarish (Surety)	**Rs.38,13,619/-** **Subsequent interest and other charges from Date: 03-03-2023.** All the piece and Parcel of the Property Bearing No.46/A, Katha No.74/4B (Property Katha No.74/3), Situated at 4th Cross, Vinayaka Layout, Nayandahalli Village, Kengeri Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Now comes under B.B.M.P. (Chandra Layout Range) Ward No. 39, Bangalore. With PID No. 39-156-46A	**East to West :** 32'-00" Feet **North to South :** 22'-00" Feet **East by :** Other's Property **West by :** Property No.46 **North by :** Road **South by :** Remaining portion of same Property No.74/3.
 Smt. Lakshmi, Legal Heirs of Late G Venkatesh Sri Dhananjaya (Surety)	**Rs.7,32,073/-** **Subsequent interest and other charges from Date: 03-03-2023.** All the piece and Parcel of the property bearing No.81, Situated at 4th Cross, 1st Main, JJR Nagara South, Now Comes under B.B.M.P. (Jagajeevanaramnagara Range) Bangalore. With PID No.44-21-81.	**East to West :** 20'-00" Feet **North to South :** 25'-00" Feet **East by :** Private Property **West by :** Aswatha Katte **North by :** Private Property **South by :** Road.
 Smt. Anandi M Sri Mani R Sri Chandrashekar G (Surety)	**Rs.14,92,090/-** **Subsequent interest and other charges from Date: 03-03-2023.** All the Piece and Parcel of the Property bearing No.36 (Old No.36 & 37 then 45 & 46) Situated at 1st Main Road, Markandeswaranagara, (K P Agrahara, Mariyappanapalya) Now Comes under B.B.M.P. (Binnypet Range) Bangalore. With PID No.31-41-36.	**East to West :** 50'-00" Feet **North to South :** 12'-00"+15'-00" Feet / 2 **East by :** Property bearing Site No.44 **West by :** Private Property **North by :** Passage **South by :** Private Property.

Place: Bengaluru
Date : 03.03.2023

Sd/- (D.Krishna)
Authorised Officer & Manager
The Hanumanthanagar Co-Operative Bank Ltd.,

GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA
MINOR IRRIGATION & GROUND WATER DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT
M.I & G.W.D. D DIVISION, VIJAYAPUR

No. MIGWDD/VJP/AE-2,3/4702/CORRIGENDUM/2022-23/4471
Date: 06.03.2023

TENDER CORRIGENDUM NOTIFICATION

Ref :-This office Short Term Tender Notification No.EE/MID /VJP/AE-3/ 4702/ TND/2022-23/4261, Dated: 21/02/2023. With respect to above cited reference, vide this office tender notifications, the time schedule of the said tenders are postponed due to technical reason , the invited tenders publishing dates further mentioned below:

CALENDER OF EVENTS :-

1) Pre-bid Meeting Date and Time:08.03.2023 at 11:00 Hours
2)Last Date and Time for Tender Queries/Clarifications: 10.03.2023 at 17:30 Hours
3) Last Date and Time for Receipt of Tenders : 13.03.2023 at 17:30 Hours
4) Date and Time for Opening of Technical Bid : 15.03.2023 at 17:30 Hours
5) Date and Time for Opening of Financial Bid : After obtaining approval to the technical bid from Competent Authority

Sd/- (R.T. Metri) Executive Engineer,
MI & GWDD Division,Vijayapur
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SULTANPET CITY BRANCH

यूनियन बैंक Union Bank of India
(A Government of India Undertaking)
No.24, Ground Floor, Keshava Nivas, Kavikalidasa Road, Gandhi Nagar, Bangalore-560 024

E-AUCTION SALE NOTICE

E-Auction Sale Notice for 15 days Sale of immovable Assets under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with provison to rule 8 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rule, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the symbolic possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of **Union Bank of India** (secured Creditor) will be sold on **" As is where is", " As is what is " and " whatever there is basis "** on the date mentioned below, for recovery of dues as mentioned hereunder to **Union bank of India** from the below mentioned Borrower(s) and Guarantor(s). The Reserve Price and the Earnest Money Deposit are also mentioned hereunder:

Name and address of the Secured Creditor : Union Bank of India, Sultanpet City Branch, No.24, Ground floor, Keshava Nivas, Kavikalidasa Road, Gandhi Nagar, Bangalore-560 024.

Name and address of the Borrower, Co-Applicant and Guarantor: (1) Mr.Shivananda G, No.7, D-Grade house, University Quarters, Jnanabharathi post, Bangalore-560 056. **(2) Mrs.D.Bhagyamma,** No.7, D-Grade house, University Quarters, Jnanabharathi post, Bangalore-560 056.

Amount due: (1) A/c No.560631000928640 - Amount Due: Rs.3,28,685/- as on 11.10.2022 with further interest, cost & expenses. **(2) A/c No.560631000928624, Amount Due: Rs.8,58,933/- as on 11.10.2022** with further interest, cost & expenses.

Description of immovable secured assets to be Sold: All that piece and parcel of EMG of Flat No.B-21/001,Ground Floor, Block Ganga,BDA apartment,Sy No.90/4, 90/3,91/1A,92/4,92/5 situated at Valagerehalli, Kengeri Hobli, Bangalore - 560060, East : Staircase, West : Block No.20, North : Corridor, South : Setback Area.

Reserve Price : Rs. 22,38,300/-
(Rupees Twenty Two Lakhs Thirty Eight Thousand Three Hundred only)
Earnest Money to be Deposited: Rs. 2,23,830/-
(Rupees Two Lakhs Twenty Three Thousand Eight Hundred Thirty Only)
(10% of Reserve Price)
Date and time of E-Auction: 28.03.2023, 11.00 A.M to 4.00 P.M.
(with 10 min unlimited auto extensions)
Last date for submission of EMD : On or before the commencement of e-Auction,
E-auction website: www.mstcecommerce.com

For Detailed terms and condition of the sale, please refer to the link provided in **(1) https://www.ibapi.in, www.unionbankofindia.co.in**
The online E-auction will be held through website: **www.mstcecommerce.com**
For E-auction Related queries Please contact : 9606699915

Place: Bengaluru
Date: 07.03.2023

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Union Bank of India.

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BEFORE THE HON'BLE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL, AT BANGALORE
S.A. No.786/2022

BETWEEN:
Mr. Rallabandi Venkata Satya Poornanand ....Applicant
AND:
M/s. L & T Financial Services Limited and 5 others ....Respondents

NOTICE TO RESPONDENTS NO. 2 to 6

1. **Mr. Srinivasa. G.** Aged major, Father's name Not Known, Shivanakuntamma Temple Road, Hagadur, Whitefield, Bengaluru-560 066
2. **Mrs. Sharada. A.** Aged major, Fathers /Husband's Name Not Known. Shivanakuntamma Temple Road, Hagadur, Whitefield, Bengaluru-560066
3. **Mr. Sandeep Manohar Deshpande,** Aged about 59 years, Son of Sri. Manohar Deshpande, Residing at No.HS-5, Oasis Breeze, 6th Main, "D" Block, AECS Layout, Kundalahalli, Bengaluru - 560 037
4. **M/s. Urban Living Solutions,** A Partnership Firm, Having its office at: No.560, Sangeeth Mansion, 60 Feet Road, AECS Layout, Opp. Brooke Fields, Kundalahalli, Bengaluru-560 037 Represented by its Partners **Mr. M.S. Rajakumar and Mr. N. Ramesh Babu**
5. **M/s. CMRS Enterprises,** A Partnership Firm, Having its office at: No.600, 2nd Floor, AECS Layout, Brooke Fields, Kundalahalli, Bengaluru - 560 037 Represented by its Managing Partner **Mr. Chennam Rangaswamy**

Take notice that the Applicant has filed the above Application against the Respondents No. 2 to 6 before The Hon'ble Debts Recovery Tribunal -1, At Bangalore, in S.A.No.786/2022. You are hereby directed to appear before The Debts Recovery Tribunal - 1, Bangalore **on 13/06/2023 at 10.30 a.m.** either in person or through an advocate duly instructed, failing which the above case will be heard in your absence.

Given under my hands and seal of the Court, this 28th day of February 2023.

By order of the Court.
Registrar
Debts Recovery Tribunal, Bangalore-560 001.
Advocate for Applicant:
Suresh Kumar & Associates,
Advocates and Legal Consultants,
1012/3, 1st "A" Cross,
BEML Main Road, New Thippasandra,
Bangalore-560 075

NORTH WESTERN RAILWAY

E-Tender Notice

Dy. CSTE/Project/JP acting for and on behalf of The President of India invites E-Tenders against Tender No **SNT-Proj.-JP-2022-23-07R** closing date 29.03.2023 15:00. Bidders will be able to submit their original/revised bids upto closing date and time only. Manual offers are not allowed against this tender, and any such manual offer received shall be ignored. Contractors are allowed to make payments against this tender towards tender document cost and earnest money only through only payment modes available ON IREPS portal LIKE net banking, debit card, credit card etc. Manual payments through Demand draft, Banker cheque, Deposit receipts, FDR etc. are not allowed. **1. Name of work with it location:** Provision of VoIP based Train Control communication System over Jaipur division of NWR Zone. **2. Approx. Cost of work (Rs):** 38408618.76/- **3. Earnest Money (Rs) :** 342100.00/- **4. Date & Time for Submission up to on www.ireps.gov.in:** 29.03.2023 Up to 15.00 hrs. **5. Website Particulars & Notice board location:** www.ireps.gov.in and Dy. CSTE/Proj./JP Office **236-AN/23**

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PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to notify the general public that my client intends to purchase immovable property bearing residential site no. 433, measuring east to west 40 ft and north to south 60 feet, in all measuring 2400 Sq Ft., in "Jayanagar Co-operative Housing Society Layout II Stage" (Vajramuni Nagara), Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, morefully described in the Schedule hereunder and hereinafter referred to as "Schedule Property" from Mr. H. S. Prasanna.

Any person having any right, title, interest or claim in the Schedule Property or having any objection to the purchase must notify the undersigned with documentary proof thereof, **within seven (7) days** from the date of this publication, failing which it shall be deemed that no person has any objection to our client purchasing the Schedule Property.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of immovable property, being a residential site bearing No.**433**, measuring East to West 40 Ft and North to South 60 Ft, in all measuring 2400 square feet, formed out of Sy Nos. 1/1, 1/3B, 6/1, 6/2, 7, 9, 50/1 to 50/9, 56, 63 of Gubbalalu (or Gubbalala) Village and out of Sy Nos. 43/1, 44/1, 45/1, 46/1, 46/2, 47/1 of Turahalli Village, situated in Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore in the layout named as "Jayanagar Co-operative Housing Society Layout II Stage", earlier known as "Gubbalalu and Turahalli Layout II Stage" (Vajramuni Nagara), together with all the rights, appurtenances and rights attached to the property and bounded as follows:

East by : Site bearing No. 432;
West by : Site bearing No. 434;
North by : Site bearing No. 417; and
South by : Road.

Place: Bangalore
Date : 08.03.2023

Vivek B. R,
Advocate,
2nd floor, Shivashankara Plaza,
No. 19, Lalbagh road,
Richmond circle, Bangalore - 560 027.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public are hereby informed that my client has negotiated to purchase the property shown in the **Schedule** below from **MRS. R. LAKSHMI**, W/o Mr. K Sundar, R/at No.B-303, Girnar Heights, I Max Theatre, Bhakti Park, Wadala East, Antop Hill, Mumbai- 400037. The above-named person has represented that she is the absolute owner of the Schedule Property. Any person/s, institution/s having any right, title, claim or interest of any nature in the Schedule Property or any objections of any manner whatsoever to the above sale transaction between my client and **MRS. R. LAKSHMI**, W/o Mr. K Sundar, is/are hereby called upon to notify the undersigned and file objections/claims along-with supporting documents within **05 days** from the date of publication of this Notice at the address mentioned below. If no such claim is received, it would be deemed that the above mentioned owner has clear and marketable title to the property specified below and that others do not have any claim over the same and/or claims if any will be deemed to have been waived. Any claims raised thereafter shall not be entertained or binding on my client.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

ALL THAT PIECE AND PARCEL of the Immovable Residential Apartment bearing **No.S-I**, Municipal **No.26/4**, BBMP PID No.76-34-26/4, on Second floor having a super built up area **1573 Sq. ft.**, along with one car parking space in the Basement of the Residential building known as **"GOLD PLATZ"** constructed at Property which is now known as and bearing Corporation No.26, Wellington Street, in Corporation Ward No.117 (Old Ward No.76), Bangalore, together with **785.26 Sq.ft.,** of undivided share, right, title and interest in the Land and the entire property is bounded on the:
East by: Property bearing No.6, Alfred Street
West by: Wellington Street
North by: Private Property bearing No.25, Wellington Street
South by: Premises bearing No.27/I, Wellington Street, belonging to Mrs. Noorjehan.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

It is hereby brought to the Notice of GENERAL PUBLIC that, my clients namely Smt. Uma W/o late Manjunath, aged about 40 years, Mrs. M. Lavanya D/o late Manjunath, aged about 22 years, Sri. Lohit M S/o late Manjunath, Aged about 20 years, all are residing at Channenahalli Village, Kadabagere Post, Magadi Main Road, Tavarekere Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk are the absolute joint owners and in peaceful possession of the Property bearing Sy.No.34/5, measuring to an extent of 19 Gunta of Channenahalli Village, Tavarekere Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, bounded on East by Property by Nagaraj, West by Property belongs to Ramaiah, North by Property belongs to Puttaramaiah and South by Property belongs to Nagappa and having acquired the right, title and interest over the same by virtue of partition took place between the family members of my clients on 10-03-2007 and same is fallen to the share of my clients. Thereafter, my client Smt. Uma has executed General Power of Attorney dated 20-10-2015, registered as Document No. TVR-4-00058-2015-16 in Book No.1, Stored in CD No. TVRD211 dated 20-10-2015, registered in the office of Sub-Registrar, Tavarekere, Bengaluru in favor of Sri. V. Ramesh S/o Venkatahanumaiah, Aged about 36 years, Resident of Channenahalli Village, Kadabagere Post, Magadi Main Road, Tavarekere Hobli, Bengaluru South Taluk, authorizing him to act her behalf in respect of above said property particularly to look after a civil suit. Further in view of changed circumstances, the said GPA dated 20-10-2015 has been cancelled by issuing legal notice dated 03-03-2023 to him and herein afterwards he has no nexus with the aforesaid property and my clients. But it is learnt that, now he is making plan in clandestinely manner behind the back of my clients, to create third parties rights over the aforesaid property by creating bogus documents on the strength of cancelled GPA. Therefore, this notice issued to the General Public, not to enter with any types of deeds, agreement, sale or mortgage or lease with Sri V. Ramesh or through his agent or anybody in respect of aforesaid property. Those documents executed by anybody in favor of anyone are not binding on my clients and on their heirs and my clients are not liable for such fraudulent transaction. Therefore, if anybody has entered with any types of documents in respect of aforesaid property, those documents are illegal, created and bogus documents and therefore this General Public notice is issued.

Thyagaraja .S. Advocate
No.409, 20th Main, 1st Block, Rajajinagar,
Bangalore- 560010. M. 9880460493
thyagarajasadv@gmail.com

BEFORE THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-I AT BANGALORE
BSNL Building, 4th Floor, Telecom House, Rajbhavan Road, Bangalore - 560001.
O. A. NO. 783/ 2020

BETWEEN : BANK OF BARODA ...APPLICANT
AND: M/s Integrated Healing Coliseum Hospital Pvt Ltd., and Others ...DEFENDANTS

Summons Issued U/r 23 (viii) Of The DRT Procedure) Rules 1993 by way of paper Publication

Whereas, the applicant has instituted an application under section 19 of the recovery of debts due to banks and financial institutions act, 1993 against you for recovery of a sum of **Rs.1,23,44,356.09/- (Rupees One Crore Twenty Three Lakh Forty Four Thousand Three Hundred Fifty Six and paisa Nine Only)** together with current and future interest and other reliefs.

You are hereby required to show cause within 30 days of the service of the before this Tribunal in person or through your counsel and produce relevant documents in your defense and show cause **on 16-05-2023 at 10.30 am** and as to why the prayed for should not be granted.

Take notice that in case of non-appearance the Application will be heard and determined in your absence

Given under my hand and the seal of this tribunal on this the **10th day of January 2023.**

By Order Of The Tribunal, Registrar
Debts Recovery Tribunal-I Bangalore

To:
1. **M/s. Integrated Healing Coliseum Hospital Private Limited.** Office at No.4, BM-403, Behind Titan World , 4th B Main Road, HRBR Layout, Kalyananagar, Bangalore - 560043. Represented by its Managing Director and Chairman Mr. Pankaj Nath Gupta. **Also at :** MRR Square 2nd Floor, No.314, Chikkabommasandra Cross, Yelahanka New Town, Bangalore - 560064.
2. **Mr. P.N.Gupta**, age: Major, R/at No.7603, PMC, Ananthapura gate, Yelahanka New Town, Bangalore - 560064. **Also at :** No.4, BM-403, Behind Titan World , 4th B Main Road, HRBR Layout, Kalyananagar, Bangalore - 560043.
3. **Mr. Santhosh Kumar JHA**, Age : Major, R/at No.114 /1, Malleshpalaya Main Road, Tippasandra post, Bengalore - 560075.

Government of Karnataka
Karnataka Public Works, Department, Sirasi Division(U.K), Karnataka Ph: 08384-223164, Fax: 08384-224100
No. PWD/SR./Dn/AE/IFT/5054SH/ 2022-23/4146 Date: 02.03.2023

INVITATION FOR TENDERS (IFT) (SHORT TERM) KW-4

e-TENDER NOTIFICATION

(1) The Executive Engineer, PWD Division, Sirasi invites tenders from eligible tenderers, for the construction of works detailed in the Table below. The tenderers may submit tenders for any or all of the works given in the Table. **The price tender which will be opened only if the Tenderer is found to be qualified to execute the tendered works. The Tenderers are advised to note the minimum qualification criteria specified in Clause 3 of the Instructions to Tenderers to qualify for award of the contract. (26.03.2021)** (2) Tender documents may be downloaded from Government of Karnataka e-Procurement website https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in/eportal/index.seam under login for Contractors: (3) Tenders must be accompanied by EMD Declaration form Proforma attached (4) Tenders must be electronically submitted (on-line through internet) with in the date and time published in e-procurement portal. The technical bid will be opened after prescribed time and date in the eprocurement portal, in the presence of the Tenderers who wish to attend at the Office of the Executive Engineer, PWD Department, SIRSI Division. (5) Other details can be seen in the tender documents

(Total: 2 Works)

(1)Last date and time for Tender Queries/Clarifications: **08.03.2023 up to 16.00.00** (2) Last Date and Time for receipt of tenders: **09.03.2023 up to 16.00.00** (3) Date and Time for opening of Technical Bid: **10.03.2023 @ 16.30.00** (4) Date and Time for opening of Financial Bid : **13.03.2023 @ 16.00.00**

Sd/- **Executive Engineer**
Public Work Department Division
Sirsi (Uttara Kannada)

DIPR/ADK/KSMCA/1094/22-23 dt.06.03.2023

Government of India
Ministry of Finance
Department of Financial Services
DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-1, BENGALURU
BSNL BUILDING, 4th Floor, Telephone House, Rajbhavan Road, Bengaluru-560001.

FORM 16
[SEE REGULATION 34(3)]

WARRANT OF ATTACHMENT OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

[RC NO. 477/2020 IN OA NO. 1233/2019]

Between;
Union Bank of India
(E-Corporation Bank), ARB Bangalore
... Applicant Bank/ Certificate Holder
And
Royal Concord Educational Trust & Others
... Defendants/ Certified Debtors

To:
Mr. T M Gopal, Chief Manager
ARB
Union Bank of India, Bengaluru

Whereas the Certified Debtors – M/s Royal Concord Educational Trust & Others, were ordered by the Recovery Certificate of this Tribunal passed on the day of **01/10/2021 in RC No. 477/2020 in OA No. 1233/2019** to pay to the Applicant Bank/F.I. Union Bank of India (E-Corporation Bank) , the sum as noted below, and whereas the said has not been paid.

Particulars / Details: Amount determined in Recovery Certificate **: 14,39,82,952/-**
Further interest @ 16.65% p.a. compounded monthly on Rs.14,39,82,952/- from 19/09/2019 upto 31.12.2022.: **9,90,80,029/-**
Coat as per RC : **1,50,005/-**
GRAND TOTAL : 24,32,12,986

This is to command you to attach the immovable property of the said Certificate Debtor as set forth in the schedule hereunto annexed, or which shall be pointed out to you and unless pay to you the above said sum and the costs of this attachment, to hold the same until further orders from the Recovery Officer.

You are further commanded to return this warrant on or before the.

with an endorsement, certifying the day on which and manner in which it has been executed, or why it has not been executed.

SPECIFICATION OF PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of property measuring 83000 square Feet bearing Muncipal Corporation No, 10/8-101 (PID No. 76-28/10/8-101) Kasturba Road, Corporation Division No. 61, Bengaluru and bounded on: East : Hotel Rama, West : Mansion & Private Road leading to Kasturba Road, North : Premises No. 10/6; South : Lavelle Road Cross leading to Casa Lavelle & the schedule property Apartment constructed is called Golden Orchid Apartments with undivided share 1123.633 Square Feet & Flat No. D-18/B, AB Block, measuring SBA of 3372 Square Feet.

Given under my hand and seal of the Tribunal at Bengaluru on **14th day of February 2023**

Recovery Officer-1
DRT-1, Bengaluru

KRISHNA BHAGYA JALA NIGAM LIMITED
(A Government of Karnataka Under Taking)
Office of the Executive Engineer, KBJNL.NLBC Division, Rodalabanda-584127
Tq.Lingasugur Dist.Raichur email:kbjnlnlbc4@gmail.com

No: KBJNL/NLBC/PB/2022-23/2583 Date :-2.3.2023
No: KBJNL/NLBC/PB/2022-23/2585 Date :-2.3.2023

SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION
((Through e-tendering only)

On behalf of the Managing Director, KBJNL, Bangalore, the Executive Engineer KBJNL, NLBC Division, Rodalabanda invites percentage tenders in two cover system from eligible Class.I Civil KPWD along with Electrical Licence & above registered Contractors (Total 2+2=4 Nos.of works) as detailed in the short term Tender Notification published in e-procurement portal viz http// eproc.karnataka.gov.in. The Intending tenderers may download the tender document through e-procurement portal viz., http//eproc.karnataka.gov.in.from 6.3.2023 to 15.3.2023 @ 4.00 PM. The technical bid will be opened on 16.3.2023 @ 11.00 AM and Further details can be obtained from this office in any working days during office hours.

Sd/- Executive Engineer
DIP/Raichur/714/K.S.M.C&A/2022-23 **KBJNL NLBC Division, Rodalbanda**

GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA
WATER RESOURCE DEPARTMENT
KARNATAKA NEERAVARI NIGAM LIMITED
Executive Engineer, KNNL, KPC Division No-2, Bhalki

No. EE/KNNL/KPC-2/BLK/PB-1/Tender/2022-23/1791 Dated: 04-03-2023

SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION (ONLY THROUGH E-PROCUREMENT SYSTEM) IN TWO COVER SYSTEM

Tenders in Electronic mode on "PERCENTAGE BASIS" are invited on behalf of the Managing Director, KNNL, Bangalore, by the Executive Engineer, KNNL, K P C Division No.2, Bhalki in Two cover systems, from the contractors enrolled in KPWD of Karnataka State who fulfill the qualifying conditions, for the works details mentioned below.

The work Indent no. is 1) 36293, the amount put tender 1) Rs.204.703 Crores. Respectively and EMD amount is Rs. 2.42 Crores. and Class of Contractor as per E-portal

Calendar of events: a) The Contractor can have access to the e-tender document 04-03-2023, b) The Last date of Submission of completed tender documents 13-03-2023 @ 16.30Hrs c) Date of Opening of Technical Bid is 14-03-2023 @ 17.00 Hrs & Financial bid is 16-03-2023 @ 17.01 Hrs respectively. All details & information can be had from the office of the under signed during office hours and visit website www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in.

Sd/- Executive Engineer,
DIPR/Bidar/512/MC&A/2022-23 **KNNL, KPC, Division no-2, Bhalki.**

GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA
Office of the Executive Engineer Public Works Department Mangaluru Division Mangaluru
Ref :-PW:DIV:MAG:TND(88E):2022-23:AE-2: Dated: 06.03.2023

SHORT TERM E-TENDER NOTIFICATION

The Executive Engineer, PWD, Divn. Mangaluru Inviting Tender under E-tendering in http://eproc.karnataka.gov.in portal from eligible Tenderers in accordance with KTTP Act Indent No : 166328, 166250, 166342, 166253, 166252, 164131 **under the Head of account: 5054-04-337-0-01-154 District and Other Roads Improvements.** Inviting Tender for Indent No. 166254 **Under the Head Of Account: 5054-03-101-0-02-132 - MDR Bridge. Last date for reciept of above tender: 16.03.2023 upto 16.00 Hours.**

In the above Work Highest Cost of Estimate is Rs.800.00 Lakhs & Lowest Cost of Estimate is Rs.200.00 Lakhs. Any Change in dates of events and value of work put to tender and EMD amount etc only can been seen from e -portal www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in.

DIPR/MNG/KSMCA/1459/22-23 dt.07.03.2023 **Sd/- Executive Engineer**

PUBLIC NOTICE

It is hereby notified that, my client intends to purchase the Schedule property from its Owners: **Smt.Aruna Agarwal** W/o Sri.Pavan Kumar Agarwal and **Smt.Kamal Agarwal** W/o.Sri.Krishna Kumar Agarwal, residing at Flat No.H2 903, SNN Raj Lake View, Phase-2, Ranka Colony Road, Bilekahalli , Bangalore – 560 076.

Apart from the said Owners, if any other person/s have any manner of right, title and or interest or claim or charge or lien over the Schedule property or otherwise have any lawful objection/s for sale of the Schedule Property by the aforesaid Owners, they are hereby called upon to file their objection/s in writing, along with the photocopies of documents on which they rely, with the undersigned, within 14 days from the date of publication of this notice. Objection/s received thereafter will not be binding on my clients.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of the residential property bearing Municipal No.959/220/12 (old site No.12)measuring East to West 50ft and North to South 80 ft in all measuring 4000 Sq.ft along with building thereon, situated at Yelenahalli Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk presently within the limits of BBMP Ward No.192 -Begur, and bounded on:-

East by : Property bearing Sy.No.14/2
West by : Property bearing Site No.11
North by : Road
South by : Property bearing Site No.13

Sd/- Goutam Chand S.F
Advocate
Goutam Associates
No.60, 2nd Floor, Kanakapura Road,
Basavanagudi, Bangalore – 560 004

Can Fin Homes Ltd.
CanFinHomes Ltd (Sponsor: CANARA BANK)
CIN: L85110KA1987PLC008699
Sahakarnagar Branch, No.553, Therani Towers
First floor, F-Block, 60 feet road,
Above Indian overseas bank, Bangalore
Phone No: 080 -23636425/7625079141.
Email : sahakarnagar@canfinhomes.com

SALE NOTICE

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable assets under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the Physical possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of **Can Fin Homes Ltd, Sahakarnagar branch.**, will be sold by holding e- auction on **"As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" on 13.04.2023** for recovery of **Rs. 40,44,043/- (Rupees Forty LakhsForty Four Thousand Forty Three Only)** due to **Can Fin Homes ltd from Borrowers : Mr. Mahesh Kumar Enturu & Mrs. Soundarya Thanigaivelu & Mrs. Bharathi (Borrowers) and Mr. Mohana Sundaram D (Guarantor)** together with further interest and other charges thereon. The reserve price will be **Rs. 65,50,000 /- (Rupees Sixty Five Lakhs Fifty Thousand Only)** and the earnest money deposit will be **Rs. 6,55,000/-(Rupees Six Lakhs Fifty Five Thousand Only.)**

Details and full description of the immovable property.

All that piece and parcel of an Immovable residential property bearing Site No.98, Khatha No.209, Property No.54, Situated at Hennur Village, Kasaba Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore Now comes under BBMP Limits, Measuring East to West 30ft and North to South 21 ft. EXTENT:630 Sq Feet along with ground floor, first floor, second floor, third floor constructed building thereon. Boundaries: North by : Site No.99, East by : Road, West by : Road South by : Road.

Encumbrances: There are two encumbrances in favour of third parties, subsequent to the registered equitable mortgage in favour of Can Fin Homes Ltd. These encumbrances are not binding on Can Fin Homes Ltd as the mortgage created in favour of Can Fin Homes Ltd is prior to the said transactions.

The detailed terms and conditions of the sale are provided in the official website of **Can Fin Homes Ltd., (https://www.canfinhomes.com/SearchAuction.aspx).**

Link for participating in e-auction : **www.bankeauctionwizard.com**

Place: Bengaluru
Date : 07.03.2023
Sd/- Authorised Officer
Can Fin Homes Ltd.

QuoteExpress
PROBLEMS ARE NOT STOP SIGNS, THEY ARE GUIDELINES
ROBERT H SCHULLER

STATE BANK OF INDIA
Stressed Assets Management Branch, Bengaluru

Authorised Officer's Details:
Name: **Sri. G.V.Ramakrishna**
E-mail Id: sbi.04209@sbi.co.in
Mobile No: 9704666922
Land Line No. (Office): 080-25943489

Address of the Branch:
2nd Floor, Office Complex Building,
SBI LHO Campus, No. 65, St. Mark's Road,
Bengaluru -560 001
Telephone: 080 -25943470 to 3490,
Fax No: 080-22225203,
E-mail Id: sbi.04209@sbi.co.in

APPENDIX- II-A and IV-A
[See proviso to rule 6(2) and 7]
SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF MOVABLE/IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES

E-auction Sale Notice for Sale of Movable/Immovable Assets Under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 Read With Proviso to Rule 6(2) Read With Provision to Rule 7(2) of the Security Interest (enforcement) Rules, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrowers/Guarantors/Mortgager that the below described movable properties hypothecated/mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the Physical Possession of which has been taken by the Authorized Officer of State Bank of India, Secured Creditor, will be sold on"As Is Where Is", "As Is What Is" and "Whatever There Is" basis on **28.03.2022 from 11.00 AM to 4.00 PM** for recovery of **Rs.11,56,38,193/-** (Rupees Eleven Crore Fifty Six Lakh Thirty Eight Thousand One Hundred Ninety Three Only) as on 27.02.2023. You are also liable to pay further interest from 28.02.2023 with incidental expenses, costs, charges etc, due to the State Bank of India, Secured Creditor from the Borrowers: **M/s. Shinag Allied Enterprises Pvt.Ltd**. and the Guarantors: **(1) Smt.Prakashi Gandhi** W/o Sanjay Gandhi **(2) Sri Bhushan Gandhi** S/o Sanjay Gandhi **(3) Smt. Karishma S. Jain** W/o Bhushan Gandhi and **(4) Sri.Sanjay Jugaraj Gandhi** S/o Jugaraj Gandhi.
The Reserve Price, Earnest Money Deposit and Bid Increment Amount will be as under:

Property No.	Reserve Price (below which the property will not be sold)	Earnest Money Deposit	Bid increment amount
1	Rs.1,20,00,000/- (For both Plant & Machinery and Stocks as referred below)	Rs.12,00,000/-	Rs1,00,000/-

DESCRIPTION OF MOVABLES & IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES

PROPERTY NO. 1(a)

Tender No: SBIN400019119231
Name of the Title Deed Holder: M/s.Shinag Allied Enterprises Pvt. Ltd.
"Plant and machinery and other fixed / movable assets situated at the factory land and building situated at No.288/1, Lakshmipura, Thataguni Post, Agara Panchayat, Kanakapura Main Road, Bangalore – 560076 standing in the name of M/s.Shinag Allied Enterprises Pvt. Ltd". The detailed list of machinery and other assets is as follows:

Sl. No	Description of the machinery	Qty	Sl. No	Description of the machinery	Qty
1	3 Tonne Weighing Scale	1	25	Press 20 T	2
2	Vernier Table (for inspection purpose)	1	26	Tools to manufacturing cookware	LS
3	10 Tonne Hydraulic Press	1	27	Belt Grinding Machine	1
4	Spot Wielding Machine	1	28	Automatic Polishing Machine	1
5	Laser Making Machine	2	29	Emery Machine	1
6	30 Tonne Capacity Power Press	2	30	Buffing Motors	16
7	Small Conveyor Belt	1	31	Auto Emery Machines	4
8	Assembly Table with guns	1	32	ISI Lab Pressure Testing Equipments	LS
9	Big Assembly Conveyors	2	33	Air Ducting System	LS
10	160 KVA Generator	1	34	Lloyds AC	1
11	Trolley	1	35	Office Chairs	5
12	Lathe – 8 feet	2	36	Wooden Table	1
13	Drilling Machine	1	37	Steel Display racks	4
14	Small Tapping Machine	1	38	Inbuilt PC Units (non-working condition)	4
15	Surface Grinder	1	39	Printers	3
16	Power Press 45 T	1	40	Lloyds AC	1
17	Power Press 35 T	1	41	Computer Chairs	4
18	Press 40 T	1	42	Table with 3 chairs	1
19	Press 250 T	1	43	PC Unit (not working)	1
20	Press 15 T	1	44	Daikin AC Unit	1
21	Automatic Holing Machine	1	45	Steel Sofa Chair	1
22	Press 15 T	1	46	5 Chairs with 1 Table	1
23	Press 20 T	1	47	PC Unit (not working)	1
24	Spinning Lathe	2			

PROPERTY NO.1(b)

Tender No: SBIN400019118710
Name of the Title Deed Holder: M/s.Shinag Allied Enterprises Pvt. Ltd.
Stock consisting of Pressure Cookers, Pans, spares and other Kitchen items at the factory building situated at No.288/1, Lakshmipura, Thataguni Post, Agara Panchayat, Kanakapura Main Road, Bangalore – 560076 standing in the name of M/s.Shinag Allied Enterprises Pvt. Ltd. The detailed list of stocks is as follows:

Sl. No	Description of the machinery	Qty	Sl. No	Description of the machinery	Qty
1	cooker body (large)	8900	11	Carton Boxes	10000
2	cooker body (small)	5300	12	Glass top	400
3	cooker lid	14000	13	Gaskets	200
4	utensils	1200	14	Warehouse Racks	23
5	pans	3500	15	Weighing Scale – Office	1
6	plates	100	16	Air Cooler	1
7	Rubber Handlers	4600	17	Blue Plastic Crate	80
8	Steel Handlers	4700	18	Wall Industrial Fans	3
9	Small Handlers	1800	19	Pedestal Fan	1
10	Exhaust Fan	30			

Both Plant & Machinery and Stocks referred above will be sold together for the Reserve Price of Rs.1,20,00,000/- as mentioned above.

The sale shall be subject to provisions of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.
For further details regarding inspection of the property the intending bidder may contact the Authorised Officer, **State Bank of India,** Stressed Assets Management Branch, 2nd Floor, Office Complex Building, SBI LHO Campus, No. 65, St. Mark's Road, Bengaluru -560 001, **Telephone: 080-25943470 to 3490** or Bank's approved Resolution Agent, **Sri Devi Resolutions Pvt. Ltd.,** Bangalore Representative: **Sri. Chayapathy, Cell No.9901902500.**
To the best of knowledge of the Authorised Officer, there is no encumbrance on any of the above said properties. For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided in https://www.mstcecommerce.com/auctionhome/ibapi/index.jsp.

Date:03.03.2023
Place: Bengaluru

Assistant General Manager & Authorized Officer,
State Bank of India,
Stressed Assets Management Branch,
Bengaluru.

The Mysore Silk Cloth Merchants' Co-operative Bank Limited
MSCMCB
No.6, Hospital Road, Bengaluru -560 053. Telefax: 2225 3389, 2226 8535. 26661253, E-Mail: info@mscmbank.in

POSSESSION NOTICE (FOR IMMOVABLE PROPERTY) [RULE-8(1)]

Whereas the Authorised officer of **The Mysore Silk Cloth Merchants' Co-operative Bank Limited** under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(2), (12) of Act, Read with Rule 9 of security interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002 issued a demand notices calling upon Borrowers/Guarantors to repay the amount mentioned in the said notices to the following Borrowers/Guarantors.
The Borrowers/Guarantors having failed to repay the above mentioned amount, the undersigned in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(4) of the Act, read with Rules 8 & 9 of the Rules has taken Symbolic Possession of the properties described below mentioned date " The Borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets"
Hence the undersigned in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(4) (a) of the Act, 2002 propose to realise the amount due by the sale of the mortgaged properties and as required under Sub Rule (6) of the Rule 8 of the Rules, the undersigned hereby gives you, the Borrowers notice calling upon you to pay the amount due within 30 days of the receipt of this notice. Failing which the undersigned shall dispose the mortgaged properties as contemplated under the Act, and Rules.
The Borrowers/Guarantors in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the properties in any manner and any dealings with the properties will be subject to the charge of **The Mysore Silk Cloth Merchants' Co operative Bank Limited,** for amount mentioned below.

Demand Notice Date/Posession Notice Date	Name of the Borrowers/ Guarantor	Description of the Property Mortgaged	Amount Due in Rs.
05.11.2022/ 02.03.2023	1) Smt. Lakshmamma W/o Sri. Narayanappa (Applicant) 2) Sri. Narayanappa S/o. Sri. Munivenkatappa (Co-Applicant) 3) Sri. Karthik. N S/o Sri. Narayanappa (Co-Applicant) 4) Sri. Kamal Basha S/o Late. Syed Bashir (Guarantor)	All that piece and parcel of Property bearing Municipal No.378/370/235, (Previously Site bearing no.235) situated at Kundalahalli, Bangalore, within the limits and administration of Hoodi Sub Division of Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike, Bangalore, Corporation ward No.85, dwelling unit constructed thereon consisting of Ground Floor, First Floor, Second Floor and Third Floor together with structures standing thereon and bounded on the: East By : Property bearing old no.234; West By: Property bearing old no.236; North By : Property bearing old no.192; South By : Road. East to West : 30 Feet; North to South : 40 Feet; In all ad-measuring : 1200 Sq.Feet. Belongs to: **Smt. Lakshmamma W/o Sri. Narayanappa.**	Mortgage Loan A/c No.1002056000048 Rs.57,66,140.00 (Rupees Fifty Seven Lakhs Sixty Six Thousand One Hundred Forty Only) + interest and Other Charges From 03.11.2022
07.12.2022/ 02.03.2023	1) Sri. Prakash. M. B S/o Sri. Balachannaiah (Applicant) 2) Sri. Sanjay. S. Y S/o Sri. Seetharam. Y. D (Guarantor)	All that piece and parcel of Property bearing Municipal No. 17, (Site No.20 carved out of land in Sy. No.27/1 of Gangenahalli Village, Bangalore) now situated at Seventh Main, Ganganagar Gramathana, Bangalore, Corporation Ward No. 20 (Old Ward No.98), PID No. 98-154-17, dwelling unit constructed thereon consisting of Ground Floor, First Floor, Second Floor, Third Floor and Terrace Floor together with the structure thereon more fully described in the schedule together with structures standing thereon and bounded on the: East By: Road; West By: Property belonging to Sri. Gurraiah; North By: Property belonging to Sri. Ramachandra: South By: Property belonging to Sri. Timmaih: Measuring East to West : 27 Feet; North to South: 20 Feet; In all ad-measuring: 540 Sq. Feet; **Belongs to: Sri. Prakash. M. B S/o Sri. Balachannaiah.**	Mortgage Loan A/c No.1002056000078 Rs.47,56,726.00 (Rupees Forty Seven Lakhs Fifty Six Thousand Seven Hundred Twenty Six Only) + interest and Other Charges From 06.12.2022
05.11.2022/ 02.03.2023	1) Smt. Shalini Rajesh W/o Sri. Rajesh. P (Applicant) 2) Sri. Rajesh. P S/o Sri. Sundaran. K (Co-Applicant)	All that piece and parcel of Property bearing Municipal No.14/1, (Hind Portion of old No.14), situated at 4th Main Road, Ramamohanapuram Bangalore, now coming under B.B.M.P Jurisdiction, Corporation Ward No.8, Gayathrinagar PID No.8-26-14/1, dwelling unit constructed thereon consisting of Ground Floor, First Floor and Second Floor together with structures standing thereon and bounded on the: East By:Common Space Common Staircase and Thereafter front Portion of No.14, belonging to Sri. K. Ashoka; West By:Property Belonging to Sri. V. R. S. Ramachandra Shastry; North By:Passage; South By:Property belonging to Sri. Hanuman Singh; Measuring : East to West : 32feet, North to South : 17 feet, In all ad-measuring: 51 Sq. Mtrs (544 Sq.Feet.), **Belongs to: Smt. Shalini Rajesh W/o Sri. Rajesh. P.**	Mortgage Loan A/c No.1002056000040 Rs.29,39,773.00 (Rupees Twenty Nine Lakhs Thirty Nine Thousand Seven Hundred Seventy Three Only) + interest and Other Charges From 03.11.2022

Place: Bengaluru
Date: 07.03.2023

Sd/- Authorised officer,
The Mysore Silk Cloth Merchants' Co-operative Bank Limited

punjab national bank

CIRCLE OFFICE: SASTRA Department: 26-27, Raheja Towers, M.G.Road, Bangalore-560001. E-Mail: cs8191@pnb.co.in

POSSESSION NOTICE (For Immovable Property)

606200NC00001154 BO: Begur Electronics City (606200)

Whereas, the Authorized Officer of the **Punjab National Bank** under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of Powers conferred under Section 13 read with the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002, issued a demand notice dated **30th December 2022** calling upon **Smt.Srivalli K (Borrower) and Shri Mallikarjuna K (Co-Borrower)** to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs 46,82,229.16 (Rupees Forty Six Lakh Eighty Two Thousand Two Hundred Twenty Nine and Paise Sixteen Only)** being the dues as on **30.11.2022** until payment in full within 60 days from the date of notice/date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower/mortgagor/guarantor and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said Rules on this **06th March 2023.**

The borrowers in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of Punjab National Bank for an amount of **Rs 46,82,229.16 (Rupees Forty Six Lakh Eighty Two Thousand Two Hundred Twenty Nine and Paise Sixteen Only)** being the dues as on **30.11.2022** with further interest and charges from **01.12.2022.**

The borrower's / guarantor's / mortgagor's attention is invited to provisions of section 13(8) of the Act in respect of time available to redeem the secured assets.

Description of immovable property

All that piece and parcel of residential flat bearing No. 403, 4th Floor, Sri Vani Symphony Apartment measuring 1275 Suare Feet of super built up area together with 269 Square Feet of undivided share right title and interest along with one covered car parking space in the stilt floor which is constructed at Old Survey No. 30/23, New Survey No. 30/35 measuring 0.10 guntas (duly converted order No. ALN.(SJ)SR.100/2013-14 dated 20.12.2013 issued by the deputy commissioner, Bangalore Dist), Situated at Thirupalya Village, Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Rural District, Bangalore and bounded on the East by : land belongs to Munisiddappa, West by : Road, North by : Land belongs to Muniyappa and South by : Remaining land in the same survey number.

Date: 06.03.2023
Place: Bangalore

For Punjab National Bank (SECURED CREDITOR)
(Chandrajeet Kumar)
Chief Manager (AUTHORISED OFFICER)

UCO BANK

(A Govt. of India Undertaking)

PEENYA BRANCH (1136), Plot No.-2A, 5th Main, 3rd Phase, Peenya Industrial Estate,Peenya, Bangalore-560058, Tel No.: 080-28374968, E-mail: peenya@ucobank.co.in

PUBLIC NOTICE OF E-AUCTION SALE (for immovable properties)

(In terms of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest SARFAESI Act 2002)

Whereas the Authorised Officer of the Bank has issued a Demand Notice under Section 13(2) of SARFAESI Act 2002 and there after in exercise of powers under Section 13(12) of SARFAESI Act 2002 has taken possession of properties mortgaged to Bank under Section 13(4) of the SARFAESI Act 2002. The undersigned in the capacity of Authorised Officer has decided for sale of the following properties to public by **E-auction** and invite bids from the intending purchasers for purchase of the immovable properties mentioned hereunder on **"AS IS WHERE IS & AS IS WHAT IS"** basis.

Sl. No.	Name of the Borrower's / Guarantor.	a) Date of Demand Notice b) Date of Possession c) Present outstanding dues	a) Date & Time for inspection of property b) bid submission last date c) Date & Time of E-Auction	a) Reserve Price b) EMD Amount c) Bid Increase Amount
1	**Borrower: Mr. S. Kantharaju & Mrs. Aruna P,** No. 74, Assessment No. 46/3 & 55/1, 1st Cross Road, Vidyamanya Nagar, Andharahalli, Yeshwanthpur Hobli, Bangalore-560 091. **Mortgagor : Mr. S. Kantharaju** Guarantor: Mrs.P.Indira W/o.Mr.GP Selvam	a) **07.01.2015** b) **22.05.2015** c) **Rs.7,17,478.57** plus unapplied interest, charges, costs etc.	a) **24.03.2023 between 11.00 A.M. to 4.00 PM** b) **27.03.2023 before 12 noon** c) **27.03.2023 between 1:00 PM to 4:00 PM**	a) **Rs.70,00,000/-** b) **Rs.7,00,000/-** c) **Rs.25,000/-**
	Description of the Immovable Property : All that part and parcel of the immovable property bearing Property no. 74 assessment no.46/3 and 55/1 Khata No. 699 1" Cross Road, Vidyamanya Nagar, Andharahalli, Yeshwanthapura Hobli, Bengalore-560091 GF+FF built up area of 3000 sq.ft measuring 2156 sq.ft. **bounded by:** East by: Property No.75, West by: Private Property, North by: Road and South by: Site No.152. in the name of **Mr. S Kantharaju.**			
2	**Name & Address of Borrower's Guarantor: 1) Mr. Manjunath H & Mrs. Manjula G S/o. Hanumaiah,** No.9/3, 2nd Main, 2nd Cross, Deepanjali Nagar, Bangalore North, Bangalore-560028.	a) **30.06.2021** b) **18.09.2021** c) **Rs.34,76,152.68** plus unapplied interest, charges, costs etc.	a) **24.03.2023 between 11.00 A.M. to 4.00 PM** b) **27.03.2023 before 12 noon** c) **27.03.2023 between 1:00 PM to 4:00 PM**	a) **Rs.1,23,10,000/-** b) **Rs.12,31,000/-** c) **Rs.25,000/-**
	Description of the Immovable Property : Property 9/3, site no.8 property in sy.no.23/1, 1st cross road, Deepanjalinagar, Bangalore-560028, Measuring East to West 38.5 feet (37+40/2), North to South 32 ft, totally measuring 1232 sq.feet. **Bounded by:** East by: Drainage & House of Lakshmamma, West by: Road, North by: Property of channaswamy and South by: Property No.7, Belongs to Gowdaiah. In the name of **Mr. Manjunath H & Mrs. Manjula G.**			

A/C No. 11360210004401, IFSC Code : UCBA0001136 Email: peenya@ucobank.co.in

UCO Bank, Peenya Branch (1136), Plot No.-2A, 5th Main, 3rd Phase, Peenya Industrial Estate,Peenya, Bangalore-560058, Tel : 080-28374968, Mob No.9945049483

Details of known encumbrances: Not Known

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

1) Sale shall be subjected to the Terms & Conditions prescribed in the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002. Detailed terms and Conditions of the sale is available/ Published inthe following websites/ Web Portal: **i) https://ibapi.in, ii) https://mstcecommerce.com**
2) The Properties are being sold on **"As is Where is Basis" and "As is What is Basis" and" Whatever There is Basis"**
3) The Particulars of Secured Assets specified in the Schedule herein above have been stated to the best of the information of the Authorized Officers, but the Authorized Officer shall not beanswerable for any error, misstatement or Omission in this proclamation.
4) The Sale will be done by the undersigned through e-auction platform provided at the website. **https://mstcecommerce.com/auctionhome/ibapi/index.jsp on date 27.03.2023 between 1.00 pm to 4:00 pm.**
5) It is open to the Bank to appoint a representative and make self-bid and participate in the auction.
6) The final decision is vested with Authorised Officer.

Date: 07.03.2023, Place: Bangalore **Sd/- Authorised Officer, UCO Bank**

केनरा बैंक Canara Bank

Banaswadi Main Road Branch
No.586, Srinivasa Nilaya, 6-Erappa Reddy layout,
Banaswadi Main Road, Bengaluru-560043.

E-Auction Sale Notice under SARFAESI Act 2002

SALE OF IMMOVABLE ASSETS UNDER THE SECURITIZATION AND RECONSTRUCTIONS OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2022 (HEREINAFTER REFERRED TO AS THE ACT).

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower/s and Guarantor/s particular that the under mentioned property mortgaged to **Canara Bank, Banaswadi Main Road Branch, Bengaluru,** the possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of the Bank under Section 13(4) of the Act will be sold by E-Auction as mentioned below for recovery of under mentioned dues and applicable interest, Charges and cost etc., as detailed below.

The Property described below is being sold on **"AS IS WHERE IS, WHATEVER THERE IS AND WITHOUT RECOURSE BASIS"** under Rules 8 & 9 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules (hereinafter referred to as the Rules) for the recovery of the dues detailed as under:

1) Name and Address of Borrower : 1. Smt.Chayadevi H, W/o Abraham Navaneethan, No.17, 7th Cross, 2nd Main, Ashirvad Colony, Horamavu, Bengaluru-560043, **2. Mr.Abraham Navaneethan,** S/o Gurunathan, No.17, 7th Cross, 2nd Main, Ashirvad Colony, Horamavu, Bengaluru-560043.

The Total Amount Due : Rs.54,53,571 as on **04.03.2023** along with further interest, costs and expenses.

Description of Property: Residential Property bearing site no.1178 Khatha No.1624/1178, situated at 4th Block, 1st Stage, HBR Layout, Hennur Bellary Road, Bengaluru measuring 60ft and North to South 40 ft in total measuring about 2400 Sqft Presenty coming within the jurisdiction of BBMP Ward No.24 HBR Layout ward Bengaluru and bounded on East by BDA property, West by Road, North by Property No.1179 and South by Propety No.1177(Schedule A property) along with undivided Right, Title and Interest in the Schedule A property measuring about 266 Sp.ft in the immovable property (Schedule B Property) along with Residential Flat bearing Flat No.G-101, Ground Floor, 2BHK along with the super built up area measuring 1133 Sq.ft includes the proportionate share in the common areas such as passages, lobbies, lifts, staircase and other areas of common use of the apartment known as OLIVE GEETH constructed on the schedule A property.Boundaries: East by : BDA property, West by: Road, North by: Property No.1179, South by: Property No.1177.

Known encumbrances, if any: Not to the knowledge of the Bank.

The details regarding E-Auction are Mentioned below:

Date and Time of E-Auction	23.03.2023, 11.00 A M to 3.00 P M (With unlimited extension of 5 minutes duration each till the conclusion of the sale)	
Reserve Price / Earnest Money Deposit (EMD)	Reserve Price (Rs.)	EMD (Rs.)
	Rs. 39.77 lakh	Rs.3.977 lakh
DD Favoring on (RTGS/NEFT/Fund Transfer)	Authorized Officer, Canara Bank, Banaswadi Main Road Branch Account No. 209272434, IFSC Code CNRB0010459. on or before 22.03.2023 4.00 p.m.	
Bid Factor	Rs. 10,000/-	
Date & Time of Inspection	20.03.2023 to 21.03.2023, 3.00 PM to 4.00 PM.	

Details of Auction service provider : M/s. Canbank Computer Service Ltd, Contact Person Mr Pakhare DD/ Mr Ramesh T H, Contact No:9480691777, 8553643144.

1. The EMD shall be deposited through RTGS /NEFT/ Fund Transfer to the credit of respected Accounts Mentioned in the before Submitting bids online. EMD can also be paid by way of Pay Order / Demand Draft in favour of **Canara Bank** payable at Bengaluru.
2. The Intending bidders should submit the duly filled in Bid form (format available in the above website) along with DD/PO/Quoting the UTR No. of NEFT / RTGS remittance towards EMD in a Sealed cover addressed to the Authorised Officer, Canara Bank, in the above Mentioned Address (Address of AO) so as to reach on or before in the mentioned date.
3. Bidders are advised to visit the Bank's website **https://www.indianbankseauction.com** for detailed e-auction notice wherein all the terms and conditions of e-auction sale are furnished. Bidders may also visit the website of service provider or contact them as per the details given above for any clarifications / queries.
4. Intending bidders shall hold a valid Digital Signature Certificate, Active email address and PAN number.
5. The Undersigned has the absolute right and discretion to accept or reject any bid or postpone/cancel the sale or modify any terms and conditions of the sale without any prior notice and assigning any reason.
6. The sale shall be subject to the terms and conditions prescribed in the Act, Rules and the Conditions Prescribed in the detailed terms and conditions published in the website.
7. For further details contact the **Authorised Officer, Canara Bank, Banaswadi Main Road Branch, Bengaluru.** in the above Mentioned address.

Please treat this also as a notice under rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) rules 2002 to the borrower/s and guarantor/s / Mortgagor/s of the secured debt mentioned above regarding holding the said sale on the above mentioned date and time if their outstanding dues mentioned above are not re paid in full.

The interested bidders are requested to visit the bank's website for detailed terms and conditions of the auction sale which may be read as part and parcel of this advertisement.

Date : 07.03.2023
Place: Bengaluru

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Canara Bank

PUBLIC NOTICE

Sri. N. SREENATH S/o Sri. A.R.Narasimha Iyengar, # 1006, Vedashree, 1st Main, 3rd Phase, 3rd Block, BSK 3rd Stage, Bengaluru-85, represents that he is the absolute owner of property No.19, old No.621, Sunkenahalli 2nd Stage, Hanumanthanagar, Bengaluru measuring East to West: 40 feet and North to South:46 feet, totally measuring 1840 Sq. ft. bounded on:- **East by:** Property No.622, **West by:** Property No.620, **North by:** Road, and **South by:** Property No.603, has agreed to sell the above said property. My client is intending to purchase the said property, If any person has any objections for the sale of the above said property or such other claim over it, the same may be lodged in writing with supporting documents at the following address **within FIFTEEN DAYS** from the date of publication of this Notice. If there are no objections or claims, etc. received within the time stipulated above it would deems that there are no objections for the sale of the same and purchasing said property by my client is free from all encumbrances.

P. Reddy Nagendra Kumar, Advocate,
No.1/4, 1st Floor, Appu Rao Road,
Chamarajpet, Bangalore-18.

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the general public that, the General Power of Attorney General Power of Attorney registered as document bearing No.GAN-4-00321/2015-16, Book-4, dated-26/11/2015 in the office of the sub registrar, Ganganagar, Bangalore executed by my client in favor of **SRI. PRAKASH GOWDA KALVEER** S/o Late. Thammegowda in respect of 1) Eastern portion of Assessment No.155/4, Katha No.302, situated at Nagawara Village, Kasaba Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore, measuring East to West 45 feet and North to South 74 feet, Totally measuring 3330 Sq feet, 2) Western portion of Assessment No.155/4, Katha No.302, situated at Nagawara Village, Kasaba Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore, measuring East to West 15 feet and North to South 74 feet, Totally measuring 1110 Sq feet and 3) Property bearing Site Nos.3 and 4, Assessment No.155/4, Katha No.222/A, situated at Nagawara Village, Kasaba Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore, measuring East to West 60 feet and North to South 80 feet, Totally measuring 4800 Sq feet, as such the same has been terminated and canceled by notice dated 01/12/2021 and also the notice dated20/01/2023. In these circumstances, the general public are cautioned not to deal with the said **Sri. Prakash Gowda Kalveer** S/o Late. Thammegowda in respect of my client's aforesaid property.

H.K. SRINIVASA, Advocate,
MR The ADVOACTE, No.23, 1st Floor,
5th Cross , Hebbal, Bangalore -560 024.

Kalyana Karnataka Road Transport Corporation: Ballari Division: Ballari.

No.KKRT:BLR:TR:COMM:2798: 2022-23Date:04.03.2023

E-Quotation Notification No : 05/2023
(Through E-procurement)

K.K.R.T.C, BALLARI has called for application through e-procurement for selecting licensee (contract) to maintenance of **"Toilets and Urinals"** at Central Bus Stand, Ballari (Both South and North side) and City Bus Terminal, Ballari (Both Inside Maind Building and South Side) and cleaning/maintenance of beside toilet places, commercial stall front places, crew rest room, bus stand controller room, parking aera and front side of in/out gate and entire bus stand premises. Interested Bidder / Contractor / Single Agency or Individual License Holder can run by collecting money from the users. **EMD Amount Rs.2,96,457/- / Application Fee & GST amount Rs.2,360/-** to be submitted through e-portal only (Total **Rs.2,98.817/-) (DD/cash will not be accepted for EMD amount**). E-Tender will be opened on 31-3-2023 after 12:00 noon. Selecting or rejecting the demand for the Bellary City Bus Stand will be reviewed. For Tender document and more information visit http://www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in or Contact Divisional Traffic Officer (77609 92152) or e-protal.

Sd/- Divisional Controller,
KKRTC, Ballari Division, Ballari.
DIPR/Ballari/999/KSMCA/2022-23

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(A Govt. of India Undertaking)

UNION BANK OF INDIA

Garebhavipalya Branch
No.81/1-1, 14th Main, Near Holy Family Church,
Adarsh Layout, Hongasandra Begur Road, Bangalore-560068,
Ph: 08355809321, E-mail: ubin824321@unionbankofindia.bank

POSSESSION NOTICE

[Rule - 8 (1)] of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002) (For immovable Property)

Whereas the undersigned being the Authorized Officer of **Union Bank of India, Garebhavipalya Branch, Bangalore,** under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(2) read with rule 9 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a demand notice dated **19.12.2022** calling upon the Borrower/Guarantors of **Mr. N.Satisha,** No.66, 3rd Cross, Royal Meridine Layout, Begur, Bangalore South-560068 and **Mrs. Roopa G,** No.66, 3rd Cross, Royal Meridine Layout, Begur, Bangalore South-560068 to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs.39,54,088.71** (Rupees Thirty Nine Lakhs Fifty Four Thousand Eighty Eight and Paise Seventy One Only) as on **30.09.2022** within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrower as well as guarantors having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken Possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under Sub Section 13(4) of the said Act read with rule 8 of the said rules on this **06.03.2023**

The borrower's attention is invited to the provisions of Sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

The borrower/guarantors in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the properies and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the **Union Bank of India, Garebhavipalya Branch** for the amounts **Rs.39,54,088.71** (Rupees Thirty Nine Lakhs Fifty Four Thousand Eighty Eight and Paise Seventy One Only) as on **30.09.2022** and interest & costs thereon.

Description of immovable Property:

Nature of Securities	Location
Primary/ collateral	All that piece and parcel of vacant residential site, with building bearing Kaneshumari No.208, Kath No.214, in Sy No.79, with extent of site 45*18 feet total measuring 810 Sq ft of land and commercial RCC building constructed, situated at Chaitanya Nagar, Begur Road, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk-560068, owned by Mr. N Satisha **Boundaries:** East by: Govt Road, West by : Vacant Land belongs to B Ramaiah Shetty, North by : House belongs to Basavalingappa, South by : House belongs to Shivalingappa.

Date: 07.03.2023
Place: Bangalore

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Union Bank of India

BEFORE THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-II AT BANGALORE
BSNL BUILDING, 4th Floor,
Telephone House, Rajbhavan Road,
Bengaluru-560 001.

OA No. 328/2022

BETWEEN: Canara Bank ... APPLICANT
AND: Sakthivel Natarajan and others .... **DEFENDANT**

DEFENDANT No.1: SAKTHIVEL NATARAJAN, S/o Natarajan, Flat No. 105, 1st Floor, "C" Block, Urvi Lotus Apartments, Somasandrapalya Main Road, Bengaluru- 560068

DEFENDANT No.2: AMRITHA SAKTHIVEL, W/o Sakthivel Natarajan, Flat No. 105, 1st Floor, "C" Block, Urvi Lotus Apartments, Somasandrapalya Main Road, Bengaluru -560068

SUMMONS TO DEFENDANT BY WAY OF PAPER PUBLICATION UNDER RULE 23 (viii) OF THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL(PROCEDURE) RULES, 1993

WHEREAS, the Applicant has instituted an Application under Sec. 19 of The Recovery of Debts Due to Banks and Financial Institutions Act, 1993 against the defendants for recovery of sum of **Rs. 29,92,660/- (Rupees Twenty Nine Lakhs Ninety Two Thousand Six Hundred and Sixty Only)** together with Current and future Interest and other reliefs.

Take Notice that you are hereby required to appear before this Tribunal to Show Cause within 30 days of the publication of summon/Notice or on **21-04-2023 at 11.00 A.M.** in person or by a Pleader/Advocate duly instructed as to why the relief prayed for should not be granted.

Take Notice that in case of default, the Application will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of this Tribunal on this 01/03/2023.

By order of the Tribunal, Registrar, Debts Recovery Tribunal-II Bangalore.

DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL TRAINING AND EMPLOYMENT

(Employment Wing)
KOUSHALYA BHAVAN, DAIRY CIRCLE, BENGALURU – 560 029. Ph: 080-25189112/25189136

NO: ITE/EMP/E-8/CR-21/2022-23 **Date: 07-03-2023.**

E-TENDER NOTIFICATION

Department of Industrial Training and Employment, is inviting e-Tenders, the sealed and superscribed tenders under two electronic tender document system as per Karnataka Transparency in Public Procurement Act 1999 through e-procurement portal for providing manpower services for below specified manpower resources to various District employment exchanges of Karnataka and Employment Wing, DITE for the period of one year from the eligible and registered service providers.

TENDER DOCUMENTS AVAILABLE IN THE PORTAL FROM DATE: 09/03/2023.

PRE-BID MEETING: 15/03/2023.

Sl No	Tender Notification No.	Required Manpower service		Last Date and Time for submission of bids
1	ITE/EMP/E-8/CR-23/ 2022-23, Dt: 06-03-2023.	1. Typists	20	Dt:24-03-2023, 17.30 Hr
		2. Group-D	24	
2	ITE/EMP/E-8/CR-22/ 2022-23, Dt: 06-03-2023.	1. Deputy Managers	04	Dt:24-03-2023, 17.30 Hr
3	ITE/EMP/E-8/CR-21/ 2022-23, Dt: 06-03-2023.	1. Job development Executives	29	Dt:07-04-2023, 17.30 Hr
		2. Councellors Cum Trainers	29	
		3. Data Entry Operators	29	

Tender documents and info regarding tender processing fee and EMD details are available in e-procurement portal www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in

For more details regarding opening and evaluation of bids please refer tender documents

DIPR/CP/5126/AKAR/22-23

Sd/- Tender Inviting Authority
CITE, Bengaluru

THE CITIZEN CO-OPERATIVE BANK LIMITED

No.651/A, 1st Main Road, 'D' Block, 2nd Satge, Dr. Rajkumar Road,
Rajajinagar, Bangalore - 560010.Phone : 080 - 2332 1923, 2332 8735

TENDER – CUM – AUCTION SALE NOTICE

AUCTION SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY UNDER SECURITISATION AND RE CONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002.

Whereas, the Bank has issued notice under Section 13 (2) of the SARFAESI Act, 2002 and in pursuant to and in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 13 (4) of the Act, the Authorised Officer, **THE CITIZEN CO-OP BANK LTD.,** has taken possession of the mortgaged properties including those more fully described hereunder, and the Bank has decided to sell the below mentioned property under the provisions of the SARFAESI Act read with the relevant rules of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Sl. No.	Name of the Borrower	Description of Property and Boundaries & Measurement	Reserve Price and EMD	Balance Outstanding Amount to be paid to Bank	Date & Time of opening tender & place of auction
	DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY				
1.	**1) Mrs. Catherine P** W/o. T R Anandan **(2) Mr. T R Anandan** H/o Catherine P **(3) Ms. Riji Anandan** D/o Catherine P **(4) Ms. Simi Anandan** D/o. Catherine P all are residing at No.479/B, Ananda Nilayam New borewel Road, Annasandrapalya, Bangalore-560017.	All that part and parcel of the property bearing Site No. 2, Old No.110, Katha No.479/B, situated at Vibuthipura Village, K.R. Puram Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, now within the limits of BBMP Ward No.81, (Vibhuthipura) Bangalore, measuring East to West 30 feet and North to South 40 feet, in all totally measuring 1200 Sq. Ft.(as per BBMP Sanction plan) with construction building thereon.Bounded by: East: Road, West: Channel, North: Site No.3, South: Site No.1.	**Rs.1,47,00,000/- (Rupees One Crore Forty Seven Lakhs Only) EMD: 10% of the Reserve Price Rs.14,70,000/- (Rupees Fourteen Lakhs Seventy Thousand Only)**	**Rs.1,29,70,650/- (Interest & other Charges as on 07.03.2023**	**12/04/2023 at 12.00 PM EMD Date 12/04/2023 before 11.30 AM.**

(1) The Tender form can be collected from **The Citizen Co-Op Bank Ltd., No.651/A, 1st Main Road, D Block, 2nd Stage, Dr. Rajkumar Road, Rajajinagar, Bengaluru-560010. (Ph. 080-23321923, 23328735)** on all working days during office hours. **(2)** The intending bidders should submit their bids in the prescribed tender form in closed cover along with EMD of 10% of the Reserve Price by means of Demand Draft / Banker's Cheque / Pay Order drawn in favour of The Citizen Co-Op Bank Ltd., Bangalore- payable at Bangalore. The Demand Draft / Banker's Cheque / Pay Order shall be drawn after the date of publication of this Tender-cum-Auction Sale Notice. **(3)** Tenders not in the prescribed format will not be accepted. The tender along with the EMD shall be submitted at The Citizen Co-Op Bank Ltd., Bangalore latest by **12/04/2023 before 11.30 A M.** Tender without EMD shall be summarily rejected and the bidders will not be permitted to participate in Auction. **(4)** The property "SHALL NOT" be sold below the reserve price. **(5)** In case the bidder is not successful the E M D amount shall be refunded without interest. **(6)** The EMD amount shall be liable for forfeiture without prior notice, if the successful bidder fails to adhere to the terms and conditions of the Auction Sale. **(7)** The sealed tenders will be opened by the Authorised Officer in the presence of the available / attending bidders at **12.00 PM on 12/04/2023.** **(8)** After opening the tenders, the intending bidders may be given opportunity at the discretion of the Authorised Officer to have, intense bidding amongst themselves to enhance the offer Price. **(9)** The successful bidder shall deposit 25% of the Sale Price (inclusive of EMD) immediately after the auction sale, on the same day, in Cash or Demand Draft and the balance of the Sale Price within 15 days from the date of confirmation of sale. In case of default by the successful bidder, all the amounts deposited till then shall be forfeited without notice and the property shall be put for re-auction. **(10)** The successful bidder shall bear the statutory dues / taxes / charges / property tax / E B charges / water charges / conveyance charges such as stamp duty, registration fee etc. that is required to be paid in order to get the property conveyed in his favour, as per the applicable laws. **(11)** The Authorised Officer has absolute right to accept or reject any or all of the tender or/ bid / offer and / or adjourn / postpone / cancel the Auction Sale without assigning any reason, and also to modify an or all terms and conditions of the sale without prior notice. **(12)** The sale is subject to confirmation by the Bank. **(13)** The property can be inspected by the intending bidder between 10.00 AM and -5.00PM at his/her expenses at the address mentioned in the Schedule. **(14)** The property is put for sale on "AS IS WHERE IS CONDITION" and "AS IS WHAT IS CONDITION". The intending bidder shall satisfy himself about the title, ownership, statutory approvals, encumbrances etc. of the property.

For further details the intending bidders may contact the Authorised Officer, The Citizen Co-Op Bank Ltd., Bangalore No.651/A, 1st Main Road, D Block, 2nd Stage, Dr. Rajkumar Road, Rajajinagar, Bengaluru-560010, for ascertaining the details of property and also for inspection of property {Contact No.080-23321923, 23328735} E-Mail:citizenbk@rediffmail.com

Date: 07.03.2023
Place: Bangalore

Sd/- Authorised Officer
THE CITIZEN CO-OP BANK LTD.,

PHYSICAL POSSESSION NOTICE

ICICI Bank **Branch Office:** ICICI Bank Ltd. 4/10, Mythree Tower, Bommanhalli Hosur Main Road Bangalore- 560068

Whereas

The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of ICICI Bank Limited under the Securitisation, Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) rules 2002, issued demand notices upon the borrowers mentioned below, to repay the amount mentioned in the notice within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

As the borrower failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/ her under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said rules on the below-mentioned dates. The borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of ICICI Bank Limited.

Sr. No.	Name of the Borrower/ Loan Account Number	Description of Property/ Date of Physical Possession	Date of Demand Notice/ Amount in Demand Notice (Rs.)	Name of Branch
1.	Sai Sri Enterprises, Hennagara Srinivasa P & Lakshmi N/ Site No 1, Nemmadhi Extension 1 Navya Layout Mastenahalli Road Jigani Karnataka Bengaluru-562106/ 035705003633 & 035755000004	Property 1 Owned By Lakshmi N All That Piece and Parcel of The Converted Residential Immovable Western Portion of Property Bearing Site No. I of 'nemmadhi Extension I Layout Having E-Khatha No. 150200103200221657 Formed By M/s. Nirman Shelters (B) Pvt. Ltd, Located on Sy. No. 235 Situated At Rajapura Village, Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore District, Converted Land Approved By Anekal Yojana Pradekara Bearing No. AYP/LAO/67/2016- 17 Dated 16.02.2017 Within The Administrative Jurisdiction of Bangalore Urban District and Including All Rights, Privileges And Appurtenances, Thereto And Measuring 20'0" X 30'0" Totally Measuring 600 Sft, And Bounded As Follows East By Remaining Portion of Site No.1 West By Road North By Road South By Site No. 2 Measuring East To West 20' 0" and North To South on Eastern 30'0" Duly Converted For Residential Site Vide Order No. ALN/SR(AJ)76/2005-06 Dated 17.12.2008. Property 2 Owned By Hennagara Srinivasa P All The Piece And Parcel of The Site Bearing No. 39, Having Property Id No. 150200103200520289, Khata No. 501/39, Formed In (sy. Mo.9/2) In The Layout Psr Elgin", (Carved Out of Sy. Nos 9/2, 10/3, 11/1, 11/2, 11/3, 14/1, 14/2, And 14/3 In All Measuring 8 Acres 34.5 Guntas, Situated At Hennagara Village, Hennagera Grama Panchayath, Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore District (vide Conversion Order Dated 30.06.2011, Bearing No.aln/aj/sr/32/2011-2012) As Per The Approved Plan Bearing Lp Nos Apa/lao/91/2014-15, Dated 22/05/2015, Sanctioned By The Anekal Planning Authority. The Said Site Is Measuring East By: 9.144 Mtr (Eight Nine Point One Four Four Metre) West By: 9.144 Mtr (eight Nine Point One Four Four Metre) North By: 13.15 Mtr (thirteen Point One Five Metre) South By: 13.15 Mtr (Thirteen Point One Five Metre) Totally Measuring 120.24 5q. Mtr (One Hundred And Twenty Point Twenty Four Square Metre)(1293 Sft) Bounded on: East By 30 Feet Road. West By: Sy. No. 9/1. North By Site No. 40 South By Site No. 38. Date of Physical Possession 3rd March 2023.	22-03-2022 Rs. 98,86,215/-	Bengaluru

The above-mentioned borrowers(s)/ guarantors(s) are hereby given a 30 day notice to repay the amount, else the mortgaged properties will be sold on the expiry of 30 days from the date of publication of this Notice, as per the provisions under the Rules 8 and 9 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002.

Date : March 08, 2023
Place : Bangalore

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E-AUCTION NOTICE

SALE NOTICE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES THROUGH E-AUCTION (ONLINE AUCTION) UNDER RULES 8(6) & (9) OF THE SECURITY INTEREST (ENFORCEMENT) RULES 2002

Notice is hereby given to the effect that the immovable properties described herein, taken possession under the provisions of Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 and Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, will be sold on **AS IS WHERE IS, WHATEVER THERE IS AND WITHOUT RECOURSE BASIS"** under rule no. 8 & 9 of the security interest (Enforcement) Rules (hereinafter refferred tp as the rules) for the recovery of the dues details as under: By inviting tenders on the following terms & conditions. E-auction arranged by the service provider **M/S CANBANK COMPUTER SERVICES LTD,No 218, J P Royale,1st Floor, SampigeRoad,Malleswaram,email id - eauction@ccsl.co.in,Contact Person - Mr.Sathiathan K M / Mr. Ramesh T.H,Contact Number - 9480691777 / 8898418010/ 8880531165 /080-23469661 /62/ 64/ 65**

Name of the Borrower/ Guarantor (s)	Total Liabilities Outstanding Amount	Property Discription	1) Reseve Price 2) EMD	1) EMD Account No. 2) IFSC Code 3) Bid Factor	1) Auction Date & Timings 2) Date & Time of Inspection
1) Mr. Nageshachary .R S/o. Sri.Rudrachary, **2) M/s. Prajwal Solar Systems, Prop. Mr. Nageshchary .R** S/o Rudrachary, 51/1, Marasandra, Doddatumkur Post, Bengaluru North -560064	as on 21.07.2022 **Rs. 1,15,44,544.59** with interest and expenses there on	EMT of the property bearing Khata No. 52/51/1, 51/1, measuring 40x30 feet, Totat 1200 sq ft comprising a house situated at Marasandra, Arakere Gram Panchayat, Hesaraghatta Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk. **Boundaries as per valuation report/sale deed:- East by :** Road, **West by :** Site No 51/7, **North by :** Site No 50/4, **South by :** Site No 51/2	**1) Rs. 37,63,000/- 2) EMD Rs. 3,76,300/- EMD Shell Deposited on or before 24.03.2023, 5.00 p.m.**	**A/c. No. 209272434 IFSC Code : CNRB0004434 Bid Factor : 10,000/-**	**1) 29.03.2023 10.30 AM to 11.30 AM 2) 23.03.2023 between 11.00 a.m. to 4.00 p.m.**

For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please logon to our **website http://www.canarabank.com under "E-Auction"** or contact the respective branches.

Date: 06.03.2023, Place: Devanahalli

Sd/- Authorised Officer, CANARA BANK

AIFF begins proceedings to decide Blasters' fate

The All India Football Federation's disciplinary committee has begun the proceedings to decide on a possible sanction against Kerala Blasters after the Kochi-based side walked out of their ISL match against Bengaluru FC. The AIFF disciplinary panel on Monday dismissed Blasters' demand for a replay and strict action against the referee of the play-off match played in Bengaluru on Friday.

NEW NORMAL IN 'TESTING' TIMES

Indian think tank has gone away from looking at batters' numbers because of challenging wickets

SWAROOP SWAMINATHAN
@ Ahmedabad

IN film, there's something called the Bechdel test. Broadly, it is a measure of representation of women. You pass it, then its women have been well represented. In terms of Indian cricket, there ought to be a test on the pitch. You go an entire press conference without mentioning it, you pass it. Perhaps, one can call it the Indore test after what happened in the third game where the hosts were shot out on an undercooked wicket.

There was no danger of the Indore test being passed on Tuesday. A few minutes into coach Rahul Dravid's press conference, he was also expressing his frustration on there being too much talk apropos pitches, echoing captain Rohit Sharma's sentiments from the last match. "It (the strip to be used for the fourth Test) looks okay to me and I think whatever the wicket is, honestly, it doesn't matter. There's just a lot of talk about pitches all the time. It's the same for both teams. It is more challenging for the bowler at times. It is more challenging for batsmen at times. Wickets are like that. Whatever it is, we have to learn to play on them, we have to learn to adjust."

At least some of the frustration from Dravid, Sharma and the rest of the team management is because several of the lead Indian batters are still adjusting and adapting to what has felt like the new normal for the last few years. Ever since the World Test Championship was put in place by the International Cricket Council (ICC), some teams have looked to double down at home. The net effect at least has been challenging pitches, with the dice almost always loaded against the batters. That's the case because you can score all the runs in the world but you can only win a Test by picking up 20 wickets. Dravid alluded to this point.

"Sometimes, obviously with WTC points at stake, you are looking to play on, sometimes, a wicket that produces or gets results," he explained. "It can happen at times and not only in India... even across the world you are seeing that at times it's difficult to get that balance perfectly right for everyone. And that can happen, not only here but it's happened in other places as well." That was perhaps a tacit acknowledgement from the coach that the pitch at Indore went a little too extreme for India's liking.

That's the primary reason behind the team management retaining faith in a top-order that has been prone to the odd collapse now and then, both in India and abroad. Averages of all the lead batters have dipped, the centuries have dried up and 100-run partnerships have become an endangered species. Normally, all of them would be on the chopping block. Not now. Not when Dravid suggested that a score of 70 is equal to somebody scoring a double ton on a normal surface.

"It's really being realistic about what is a good performance on some of the challenging wickets we are playing on, not only here," he said. "If you look at the last three-four years, all over the world I think the wicket has got a lot more challenging."

Keeping that in mind, it's about coming up with new yardsticks to rate the players. "You have to be realistic about what the benchmarks are now, what the standards are? Just understanding that in these kinds of games, just one good performance can change the game." It has also meant the think tank has gone away from the tried and tested method — at least from the outside — of looking at a player's Test career through numbers (average, centuries and so on). "It's being realistic in our assessment of our batters, their averages and numbers and don't really look too much into it. It might not necessarily be about scoring big double hundreds but you know there might be scores 50-70... really, really good scores in some conditions."

Speaking about the conditions, the pitch didn't look as bone dry as it looked in Indore. There was also a sprinkling of grass covering but it could be shaved off on Wednesday. With the harsh sun baking the pitch, expect the ball to turn on any wicket, it's just a question on when it will start turning.

On Wednesday, if Sharma comes for the press conference, he will again be asked for his assessment on the pitch. The cycle will repeat itself again.

India captain Rohit Sharma (R) with teammates during a training session in Ahmedabad on Tuesday | AFP

Two days out from Test, Stadium gets ready for Modi-Albanese show

SWAROOP SWAMINATHAN
@ Ahmedabad

Giant hoarding of Indian PM Narendra Modi & Australia PM Anthony Albanese

TWO days out from the fourth-and-final Test of the Border-Gavaskar Trophy, it was hard to miss the excitement. Being inside the Narendra Modi Stadium, one of the world's largest sporting stadia, was to be a first-hand witness to feverish action both inside and outside the depths of the complex. Outside, the glue was yet to dry on the posters that were being stuck. Inside the Stadium, a stage was being readied under the south stand directly behind the square. On the stage, a giant hoarding of Indian Prime Minister, Narendra Modi, with his Australian counterpart, Anthony Albanese, went up. As soon as the hoarding went up, it invited a predictable gaggle from the journalists who had turned up to watch the Australian training session on Tuesday morning.

"Would be interesting to watch (Steve) Smith get the umpire to move Albanese a few inches to the right?" was one. "Wonder how Rohit (Sharma) would cope with Modi watching his every move on the field?" another. A few hours after the hoarding was erected, it was quietly down. These posters signalling the camaraderie between the two countries — "75 YEARS of FRIENDSHIP THROUGH CRICKET" — have been plastered all around the stadium. And that really was the overriding theme on Tuesday. It may be getting ready to host a Test with a lot at stake but it's also getting set to welcome the man it's named after and Albanese, who will become the first Australian Prime Minister to travel to India since 2017. If Tuesday's dress rehearsals are anything to go by, there is also set to be a lap of honour of sorts. As the orange seats glistened in the background in the early but still punishing summer heat, two men were driven around the stadium in a golden chariot-like vehicle. On Sunday, the Sydney Morning Herald had reported that both Prime Ministers would take their seats before the national anthem and stay for the first hour's play before leaving the stadium. Albanese will proceed to Mumbai later on Thursday.

The Narendra Modi Stadium is of course no stranger to hosting political events. In 2020, it hosted the 'Namaste Trump' event with US President, Donald Trump. A year later, it was renamed the Narendra Modi Stadium ahead of a day-night Test against England.

So, do the players think about playing in front of Modi and Albanese? Do they think about the outside noise that's bound to be there on Thursday? Coach Rahul Dravid replied in the negative. "I don't think so," he said. "Overall, these guys are professionals, they are used to playing in front of big crowds, they are used to a lot of noise that happens in and around these games. For them to just be able to switch on and play the Test, I don't think it should be particularly difficult. We understand it's a really exciting opportunity for us this week to play some really good cricket."

The cricket will ultimately be played at the Stadium, but only after the two Prime Ministers occupy the centre stage.

EYEING FIRST VICTORY

Both RCB and GG have lost their first two games and are yet to open their account in the tournament. As they meet on Wednesday, a look...

GARTH VS RCB OPENERS

Kim Garth started her WPL campaign with a five-wicket haul despite the result not going her way. And against RCB, she will have a crucial role to play against the top-order, especially someone like Smriti Mandhana. With her ability to move the ball both ways while angling across to the southpaw, she will be threat to the Bangalore captain.

HEMALATHA AT NO 4/5

Twice in two games Dayalan Hemalatha has shown her hitting ability with 50 runs at 138.9 strike rate. While she is yet to be dismissed in this tournament, there is a case to be made that she has come too late to do damage control. Could Gujarat use the all-rounder at No 4/5, giving her a little more time to make an impact on the result of the game?

TIME FOR RCB TO PLAY VAN NIEKERK?

With the overseas stars they have, it was not a surprise to see Dane van Niekerk miss out. That said, after two games, they might want to take a look at that option, bringing in the South African for probably Megan Schutt with a bit of reshuffle to include an Indian pacer. Van Niekerk can bat in the middle-order, adding the necessary experience.

Gujarat Giants VS Royal Challengers Bangalore, Brabourne Stadium — Live on Sports18 Networks, 7.30 PM

Ashwani's arduous journey to big league

GOMESH S @ Chennai

WHEN Ashwani Kumari came with her dad to meet coach Kajal Das at the Telco Club Ground in Jamshedpur several years ago, the latter was not coaching any girls at his academy. At that point, Das was not sure and sent them back. However, they weren't going to take no for an answer. Despite playing cricket all through her childhood in Govindpur, the 25-year-old had no clue that it was a career option until then. And having watched the 2013 Women's ODI World Cup happen in India, the then teenager realised that she could become a professional.

A few days later, the father and daughter went back to Das again. And this time, after watching her sprint, Das decided to take her under his wings. "I liked what I saw. She was training with the boys and picked up the tricks of the trade quickly. We made a plan for her, and started training her with a goal — to play for India. When the Jharkhand trials were happening, I knew she would get selected, and from thereon her journey began," Das said.

Ashwani Kumari

While Ashwani had all the support from her family to play cricket, the journey was not easy, especially financially. Back then, she did not have a proper kit and used to borrow from the boys she trained with. In fact, it was Das who bought Ashwani her first cricket kit. There were other issues as well. With only one vehicle in the family at that point, she was dependent on someone to drop her and pick her up as her village was far from the city. On occasions, she had to miss practice because of it.

"In Jamshedpur, we play in Keenan Stadium and practice at the Shahid Nirmal Mahato Stadium. Her house, in Govindpur, was at least 15-18kms away. It was not a busy route. If she is going back home in the evening after practice, parents used to worry. She did not have many chances to train near her house. Despite all that she will come in early in the morning, I mean, purely because of her sheer will, she pushed further," said Umesh Sethi, who was her coach in the Jharkhand state team.

Full story: newindianexpress.com

JONASSEN POWERS CAPITALS TO WIN

NAVI MUMBAI: If Meg Meg Lanning smashed a 42-ball 70, Jess Jonassen hit an unbeaten 20-ball 42 and took three wickets to hand Delhi Capitals their second consecutive win of the Women's Premier League on Tuesday. Chasing 212, UP Warriorz fell short by 42 runs with Tahlia McGrath top-scoring (50-ball 90 n.o). **Brief scores:** DC 211/4 in 20 ovs (Lanning 70; Ismail 1/29) **bt** UPW 169/5 in 20 ovs (McGrath 90 n.o; Jonassen 3/43).

HI plans with eye on future

AGENCIES @ New Delhi

HOCKEY India (HI) will start giving specialised training on drag-flicking and goalkeeping to Under-16 boys and girls as part of its new and ambitious grassroots development programme starting later this month.

HI president Dilip Tirkey said that former India drag-flick experts like Rupinder Pal Singh, VR Raghunath and Birendra Lakra could be part of the programme which will kick-start on March 19. "Drag-flick and goalkeeping have become very important areas in world hockey. I don't think enough training is being given to the players (in these two areas) at a young age in the country," Tirkey said.

Athletics tops NADA list of dope offenders

ENS @ Chennai

ATHLETICS has once again topped a list for all the wrong reasons. The National Anti-Doping Agency (NADA) updated its list of athletes who have been banned after Anti-Doping Disciplinary Panel hearing and at least nine athletes from the list have been slapped with four-year suspensions after returning positive for banned substance.

Going by the updated list, 18 athletes, apart from long jumper Aishwarya B, have been found guilty of using World Anti-Doping Agency list of prohibited substance. Even the substance they have tested positive seemed to range from peptide hormones, dEPO to SARM (Selective Androgen Receptor Modulator). This daily had highlighted the rise in use of hormones and SARMs by athletes.

There are two athletes –middle and long-distance runners Pallavi Jagadale and Amandeep — who have been slapped with a four-year ban for use of darbepoetin, while two, including long jumper Aishwarya B, have been banned for use of SARM, a substance that has not been approved for human consumption by most countries. Radha and Reena Sharma tested positive for peptide hormone. Among steroids, mentandienone and stanazolol are still used by the athletes. Interestingly, some of the cases are close to one-year old.

HEAVYWEIGHTS COLLIDE

In what could end up being a cracking contest, Bayern Munich host Paris Saint-Germain in the Champions League second leg of their last-16 tie on Wednesday. Tottenham look to overturn the 0-1 deficit against AC Milan. A look...

BAYERN VS PSG
1ST LEG: BAYERN 1-0 PSG

Bayern return to the Allianz Arena with a 1-0 advantage after former PSG forward Kingsley Coman's second-half goal at the Parc des Princes in the first leg. Summer additions Sadio Mane and Matthijs de Light will be looking to make an impact. PSG, meanwhile, are in high spirits with Kylian Mbappe, who became all-time high-scorer (201 goals) for the French giants in 4-2 win over Nantes on Saturday, looking sharp as ever. Mbappe had made a cameo appearance off the bench in the first leg. Lionel Messi, who has been amongst goals, will also be looking to torment Bayern.

1 Bayern have been knocked out only once before reaching the quarterfinals in the past ten years, a decade in which they have lifted the European Cup twice.

TOTTENHAM VS MILAN
1ST LEG: MILAN 1-0 TOTTENHAM

Antonio Conte is set to return to the touchline for Tottenham's clash against AC Milan following his recovery from gallbladder surgery. During his time away, Tottenham have shown the frustrating inconsistency that has blighted the club since the Italian took the reins in November 2021. They were knocked out of the FA Cup and were condemned to a 0-1 loss by Wolves in the Premier League. Without a major trophy since 2008, Spurs need Conte to lift their spirits ahead of a defining night, which could serve as a springboard for an uplifting end to the season.

LIVE ON SONY PICTURES NETWORK @ 1:30 AM (1ST THURSDAY)

UEFA TO REIMBURSE LIVERPOOL FANS

PARIS: UEFA said on Tuesday it will reimburse all Liverpool supporters who attended last year's chaos-hit Champions League final between the English club and Real Madrid at the Stade de France in Paris. Heavily criticised in an independent report published last month for organisational failures which "almost led to disaster", European football's governing body said its refund scheme would cover the entire Liverpool allocation of nearly 20,000, as well as supporters of Real and other spectators affected by the trouble outside the stadium.

EXPRESS READ

BFC take 1-0 lead vs Mumbai in ISL semis

MUMBAI: Sunil Chhetri struck a late goal as a substitute to help Bengaluru FC eke out a 1-0 win over Mumbai City FC in the first leg of the ISL semifinal here. Chhetri's 78th minute goal gave the Blues a vital advantage ahead of the second leg in Bengaluru on Sunday. The Islanders were once again the team that dominated possession and created more scoring chances than their opponents. In the second minute, Greg Stewart set the pace down the right with a low cross back into the box for Bipin Singh, whose shot was blocked by Prabir Das.

HC asks BFI to place evaluation forms of boxers

NEW DELHI: The Delhi High Court Tuesday asked the Boxing Federation of India (BFI) to place before it the evaluation forms of three national champions Manju Rani, Shiksha Narwal and Poonam Poonia who were rejected for the upcoming Women's World Boxing Championships. The tournament will be held from March 15 to 26 in Delhi. The high court, which refused to grant any interim relief to the petitioner players, said in the meantime, if a reserved category player is being maintained by the respondents, the petitioners should be considered for that.

Ankita, Prarthana enter doubles quarterfinals

BENGALURU: The Indian pair of Ankita Raina and Prarthana Thombare produced an impressive come-from-behind win to enter the doubles quarterfinals of the ITF Women's Open here on Tuesday. The No 2 seeded duo defeated the wildcard Indo-German pair of Sharmada Balu and Sarah Rebecca Sekulic 5-7, 6-3, 10-6 in a thrilling Round of 16 match. The third seeded Indo-Swedish pair of Rutuja Bhosale and Jacqueline Awad also advanced to the last-eight stage after defeating Ji Hee Choi (South Korea) and Lee Ya-Hsuan (Taipei) 6-4, 6-2.

HC orders EFI to expand pool of Asiad probables

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Chennai

COMING down heavily on the Equestrian Federation of India (EFI), the High Court of Delhi on Tuesday expressed serious concerns over the functioning of the NSF. The court also ordered the federation to expand the pool of probables selected to attend coaching camps and participate in the FEI competitions in their bid to qualify for the upcoming Asian Games scheduled in China.

The order came as a big relief for those wishing to be a part of the camp and qualifying tournaments to acquire minimum eligibility requirement (MER) especially the petitioners — Chirag Khandal, 19 (Eventing), Shashank Singh Kataria, 18 (Eventing) and Yash Nensee, 22 (Show Jumping).

During the hearing, Justice Gaurang Kanth made scathing opinions on the EFI. "After examining the conduct of the EFI throughout the present proceedings, this Court is of the prima facie opinion that EFI succeeded in their vicious approach to eliminate the best candidates by acting in a completely capricious and arbitrary manner while discharging its responsibilities," the court opined.

Upon a conjoint reading of the petitions, the court mainly focussed on three issues before pronouncing the judgement. The three issues were - a) Whether the revised selection criteria introduced were in accordance with the statute of the federation or other relevant regulations, b) Whether the EFI acted fairly and in a transparent manner while carrying out selection process for selecting deserving candidates for the 19th Asian Games, c) Whether the Order dated 12.01.2023 passed by this Honourable Court demands any modification in terms of the recent development, as stated by the EFI.

Notably, the court on 12.01.2023 allowed petitioner Chirag to participate in the trials during the months of March and April 2023. "If he is able to meet the required MER in the trials, then he may be allowed to participate in coaching camps from the month of May onwards," it had said then.

The EFI then filed a petition seeking a review/recall of the order based on certain subsequent events. It said that the coaching camps for the national selections are now to start latest by the second week of March, 2023 and cannot be postponed to May thus ruling out the inclusion of Chirag in the camp. Expressing its views on selection criteria, the court cited the statute of the EFI and the National Sports Development Code of India (NSDCI), 2011. "In view of the aforesaid discussion, this Court is of the opinion that the Impugned Selection Criteria which was introduced without presence of requisite quorum in Selection Committee and observance of the process of law stands void ab initio in the eyes of law," the court observed.

It also questioned the authenticity of trials that were held in absence of a duly appointed national coach. The appointment of a national coach is a mandate under Article 15 of the Federation Statute which pertains to the formation of a Selection Committee. It is also mandatory as per NSDCI, 2011.

Full story: newindianexpress.com

Tribal leaders, scientists and conservation advocates buried Southern California's most famous mountain lion on Saturday in the mountains where the big cat once roamed

Syrian medics launched Tuesday the first cholera vaccination campaign in the rebel-held northwest since a deadly outbreak began last year, amid increased fears of contagion after last month's devastating earthquake

EXFILE • HISTORY

Archaeologists in Egypt unearth Sphinx-like Roman-era statue

Archaeologists unearthed a Sphinx-like statue and the remains of a shrine in an ancient temple in southern Egypt, antiquities authorities said on Monday

This undated photo distributed Monday, March 6, 2023, by the Egyptian Ministry of Tourism and Antiquities shows a tablet dating to Ancient Roman times

FOUND IN TEMPLE OF DENDERA

The artefacts were found in the temple of Dendera in Qena Province, 450 kilometres south of the capital of Cairo, the Antiquities Ministry said

CONDUCTING MORE STUDIES ON STONE SLAB

It said archaeologists will conduct more studies on the markings on the stone slab, which could reveal more information to statue's identity and the area

STATUE BELONGS TO ROMAN EMPEROR CLAUDIUS

Archaeologists believe the statue's smiling features may belong to the Roman emperor Claudius, who extended Rome's rule into North Africa between 41 and 54 AD, the ministry said

Hieroglyphic inscriptions

The archaeologists also found a Roman-era stone slab with demotic and hieroglyphic (formal writing system in ancient Egypt) inscriptions

The limestone shrine includes a two-layer platform and a mud-brick basin from the Byzantine era – ministry

SMALL STATUE

The statue is much smaller than the towering, well-known Sphinx in the Pyramids of Giza complex, which is 20 metres high

HOPING TO ATTRACT MORE TOURISTS

Such discoveries are usually touted by the Egyptian government in hopes of attracting more tourists, a significant source of foreign currency for the cash-strapped North African country

What is Sphinx?

The Sphinx is a mythological creature with a lion's body and human head

Sphinx etymology

According to Britannica, the word sphinx was derived by Greek grammarians from the verb sphingein ("to bind" or "to squeeze"), but the etymology is not related to the legend

sphinx statue believed to be made in the likeness of a Roman emperor is uncovered from an archaeological site in Qena, Egypt. | AP

UN REBUKES CHINA OVER HUMAN RIGHT CONCERNS

RIGHTS

GENEVA: United Nations rights chief Volker Turk on Tuesday demanded action from Beijing to address "grave concerns" over the human rights situation in China's Xinjiang province.

Turk has been under pressure from Western nations and rights organisations to take a firm stand on Xinjiang following a bombshell report by his predecessor which cited possible crimes against humanity in the far-western region.

The UN is concerned about the protection of minorities such as the Uyghurs in Xinjiang and Tibetans, Turk said in his speech to the first UN Human Rights Council session of the year.

"Regarding China, we have opened up channels of communication with a range of actors to follow up on a variety of human rights issues," Turk said.

"In the Xinjiang region, my office has documented grave concerns—notably large-scale arbitrary detentions and ongoing family separations—and has made important recommendations that require concrete follow-up."

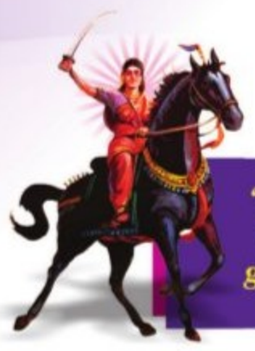
He also voiced unease over restrictions of civic discourse in China and the far-reaching national security law in Hong Kong imposed in 2020 to stamp out dissent following the city's huge and often violent pro-democracy demonstrations.

"We also have concerns about the severe restriction of civic space more generally, including the arbitrary detention of human rights defenders and lawyers, and the impact of the National Security Law in Hong Kong." It was Turk's first set-piece speech to the council in Geneva since taking office as the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights in October.

Just minutes before her term ended on August 31, Turk's predecessor Michelle Bachelet published a long-awaited report on Xinjiang.

It detailed a string of rights violations against Uyghurs and other Muslim minorities, highlighting "credible" allegations of widespread torture, arbitrary detention and violations of religious and reproductive rights.

Department of Women and Child Development

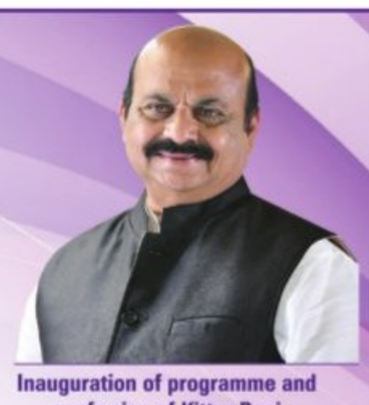


"Innovation and technology for gender equality"

International Women's day 2023

Conferring of Kittur Rani Chennamma Award and Other Awards

Date : 08-03-2023 Wednesday
10.00 am
Venue : Ravindra Kalakshetra, Kannada Bhavana, J.C. Road, Bengalore - 02



Inauguration of programme and conferring of Kittur Rani Chennamma Award
Shri Basavaraj S. Bommai
Hon'ble Chief Minister

Shri Achar Halappa Basappa
Hon'ble Minister for Mines and Geology, Women and Child Development and Empowerment of Differently Abled and Senior Citizens along with Hon'ble Union Minister Smt. Smriti Irani

Special Invitees
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Hon'ble Union Minister for Finance and Corporate Affairs
Shri M. Rajeev Chandrasekhar
Hon'ble Union Minister of State for Skill Development, Entrepreneurship and Livelihood, Electronics and Information Technology

Esteemed Presence
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Presided by
Shri Uday B. Garudachar
Hon'ble MLA
Chickpet Assembly Constituency

Chief Guests
Shri Siddaramaiah — Hon'ble Leader of Opposition Karnataka Legislative Assembly
Shri R. Ashok — Hon'ble Minister for Revenue
Shri V. Somanna — Hon'ble Minister for Housing and Infrastructure Development
Dr. C.N. Ashwat Narayan — Hon'ble Minister for Higher Education, I.T. and B.T., Science & Technology, Skill Development, Enterpreneurship and Livelihood
Shri S.T. Somashekhar — Hon'ble Minister for Cooperation
Shri B.A. Basavaraj (Byrati) — Hon'ble Minister for Urban Development
Shri K. Gopalaiah — Hon'ble Excise Minister
Shri Muniratna — Hon'ble Minister for Horticulture and Planning, Program Monitoring and Statistics
Shri N. Nagaraju (MTB) — Hon'ble Minister for Municipal Administration, Small Industries and Public Enterprises
Shri Satish Reddy M. — Hon'ble Chief Whip of Ruling Party & MLA, Bommanahalli Assembly Constituency
Shri B.K. Hariprasad — Hon'ble Leader of the Opposition Party Karnataka Legislative Council
Dr. Y.A. Narayanaswamy — Hon'ble Chief Whip to Govt. Karnataka Legislative Council
Shri S.R. Vishwanath — Hon'ble Chairman, Bangalore Development Authority and MLA, Yalahanka Assembly Constituency
Shri M. Krishnappa — Hon'ble Chairman, Karnataka Vokkaliga Community, Development Corporation Limited and MLA, Bangalore South Assembly Constituency
Smt. K. Poornima — Hon'ble Chairman, Legislative Committee for Women and Child Welfare and MLA, Hiriyur Assembly Constituency
Shri Prakash K. Rathod — Hon'ble Chief Whip of Opposition Party Karnataka Legislative Council
Smt. Pramila R. Naidu — Hon'ble Chairman, Karnataka State Commission for Women, Bangalore

Guests of Honour
Smt. Poornima Prakash — Hon'ble chairman, Karnataka Jawarhar Bal Bhavan Society, Bangalore
Shri K. Naganna Gowda — Hon'ble chairman, Karnataka State Commission for Protection of Child Rights, Bangalore
Hon'ble Loka Sabha and Rajya Sabha Members, MLAs / MLCs Representing Bangalore and Hon'ble Chair persons of various Boards and Corporations will participate in the function

Key Schemes of Department of Women and Child Development

Protection of Women from Domestic Violence Act 2005:
This Act is in force to prevent domestic violence against women and to provide various types of assistance. The rule formulated in 2006 in this regard is being implemented across the state.

Santwana Scheme:
Legal aid and counseling to women victims of dowry harassment, sexual harassment, domestic violence, rape victims is being provided through 178 centres.

Centre for excellence:
A Center for Excellence will be launched in Bangalore in association with NIMHANS and National Law School University to provide appropriate assistance and counseling to women victims of violence.

Swadhara Greh:
Temporary shelter, medical services, counseling and legal assistance to women in distress, is being provided through 52 Swadhara Centers across the state.

One Stop Center (Sakhi) :
Medical treatment, police assistance, legal aid and counseling facilities are being provided under one roof to women victims of violence through One Stop Centers in all 30 districts.

Pradhan Mantri Matru Vandana Yojana:
A total of Rs.5000/- is being credited into the beneficiary's account through direct benefit transfer to create a better environment for improving the health status of pregnant women / lactating mothers, 315703 beneficiaries have been benefited.

Monthly Pension for Acid victim Women/Girls:
The monthly pension has been enhanced from Rs.3000/- to Rs.10,000/- with effect from: 01.04.2022.

Internal complaints Committees:-
Internal Complaints Committees to prevent violence against women at workplace have been formed, under sexual harassment of women at workplace (Prevention, Prohibition, Remediation) Act, 2013 Sections 5, 20, 21(1)(2)).

Empowerment of Women:
In order to empower women economically through income generating activities, schemes such as Udyogini, Rehabilitation of Trans genders, Chetana, Dhanashree, Rehabilitation of Ex-Devadasi women, Micro credit, interest subsidy schemes are being implemented.

"Vruddi" Scheme:
As per the budget pronouncement of 2022-23, Rs.5.00 lakh to Rs.10.00 lakhs direct loan is being provided with 4% interest to women entrepreneurs to encourage starts-ups.

Protection and shelter of women:
Currently 625 women and 18 children are sheltered in 4 reception centres, 8 state home for women.

Stree Shakti Scheme:
With a view to converting 7500 women self-help groups into micro-enterprises, Rs.75.00 crores seed money has been provided @ Rs.1.00 lakhs per SHG under Amruta Self-Help Micro Enterprise Scheme and a grant of Rs.90.00 lakhs has been provided to 9000 self-help group members for skill development and entrepreneurship training.

Transit Hostel for Women:
A transit hostel facility has been arranged for women coming to Bangalore to attend entrance exams for employment, interviews, entrance exams for other courses.

Working Women Hostel:
In the year 2022-23, hostels for 24 working women are being started in Bangalore city, Mysore, Hubli-Dharwad, Belgaum, Dakshina Kannada and Kalaburagi districts.

Scheme for Construction of Hostel for Working Women:
Grants are being provided by the Central Government to construct residential hostels for working women and women undergoing training for employment.

Spoorthi Scheme:
Actions are being taken to prevent child marriages across the state, and as per the 2022-23 budget Pronouncement, Spoorthi scheme is being extended to 5 districts of the state.

Bhagyalakshmi Sukanya-Samruddi Scheme:
36.92 lakh beneficiaries have been given financial assistance since 2006-07 for two daughters of BPL family. In the FY 2022-23 an amount of Rs.10277.92 lakhs deposited in the post office covering 3.42 lakh beneficiaries.

Awareness Program:
Programs are being organized to create awareness among the public, police personnel, government employees and others about the various laws being implemented for the protection of children and about the rights and challenges of children of Ex-Devadasi women.

Mission Shakti Scheme:
Central government has formulated a new scheme called Mission Shakti to facilitate comprehensive schemes under one roof, with the objective of protection, safety and empowerment of women.

All are cordially invited

Dr. Anuradha K.N., I.A.S
Director,
Department of Women and Child Development

Dr. N. Manjula, I.A.S
Secretary to Govt, Department of Women and Child Development and Empowerment of Differently Abled and Senior Citizens

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DAY'S DIARY

Her day

International Women's Day is celebrated annually on this day in recognition of women's achievements and contribution towards society.

HISTORY

The day can be traced back to 1908 when 15k women marched through New York City calling for voting rights and better pay.

ABOUT THE CAMPAIGN

The initiative was aimed at gender equality, a greater awareness of discrimination and a celebration of women's achievements.

THEME #BALANCEFORBETTER

#BalanceforBetter is meant to promote a future in which both men and women are equal in professional status, media perception, the positions they hold in government and more.

Find out how the city is celebrating Holi

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HANDLING HURDLES WITH HUMOUR

In recent times, women-only comedy line-ups have begun to provide performers a safe space to practise their craft, while offering audiences a refreshing perspective

DESE GOWDA

COMEDY has long been a monopoly of engineering graduates who can't get girlfriends," says Amruta Bendre, a city-based comedian, known for her relatable takes on women's perspectives. "I always say that on stage. Because the city's comedy scene is largely dominated by men," she adds. A former teacher in her late 30s, Bendre got into standup comedy only recently after the pandemic when virtual 'zoom mics' threw open the stage to everyone.

Nearly three years on, the virtual mics have helped female performers like Bendre get a foothold in the comedy scene. "Before 2019, there were only a handful of notable women comics in town. People were hesitant to give spots to women performers, because there wasn't enough belief that it would work out. But Zoom mics helped change that perception," explains comedian and producer Bindu Rao. The virtual mics helped many performers do spots from the comfort of their homes, essentially taking away the pressure and levelling the playing field.

But the transition to offline mic throws up several challenges that are often overlooked but might make it harder for a woman performer to continue doing comedy. "Issues like lack of good washrooms, faraway spaces, or even unlit streets are some of the factors. Furthermore, if you're just getting started, it can be intimidating to find yourself in a place where there is nobody like you around. You are the only woman comic," shares comedian and curator Varuni Khare.

To make the scene more accessible and safer, a number of productions in the city have been doing women-only lineups that aim to alleviate such issues. Mahila Mandal, a weekly lineup produced by Khare and held at the Art Gully Studios in Koramangala is one such show. "We were not the first to do it, but we are the only ones who have been doing it consistently every week. We started in early December 2022 and so far, the response has been positive, especially from the audience. Unlike the perception that online audiences have about women comics, which is that they aren't funny, the audiences at our shows come with an open mind without any sort of expectation or bias," Khare shares.

According to producer Bindu Rao, a support system helps people rely on each other. "Having another woman performing with you can be reassuring. Most of the time, it can be difficult to break ice with male performers. You might end up being awkward among them. The good thing about the women-only line-ups is you get to meet each other and listen to each other's material or jokes, and be supportive of each other," she says.

Apart from providing a safe spot to women performers, the show is also encouraging a lot of women to take up comedy. "Quite a few audience members are coming here only because it's a women-only show. And they enjoy it, because they get to hear a different perspective on issues. A few audience members have shared that they also want to get into it owing to a sense of safety," she concludes.

Amruta Bendre

KNOW YOUR CITY

Arun Prasad, city-based history researcher, unravels interesting facts about Bengaluru in this weekly quiz series. So it's time for you to find out how familiar you are with the city, beyond its heritage buildings, IT parks and the pub culture.

THE QUIZ WILL BE PUBLISHED EVERY WEDNESDAY

Send answers to **bengalurucityexpress@gmail.com** with the subject line **'Know Your City Quiz'**

Correct answers and names of first three respondents with right answers will be featured in *CE*.

1. The British left India in 1947 and the successive governments have been on a name-changing spree since. Though many of the British names for areas in Bengaluru too have been changed officially, people still continue to fondly refer them by their colonial names. Fraser Town named after Stuart Mitford Fraser, the penultimate Resident of Mysore was created in 1906 in the area earlier known as Mootocherry where ragi was widely grown in the fields. This, in an attempt to decongest the growing Civil and Military Station (Bangalore Cantonment). Interestingly, Fraser was also the tutor and guardian of Krishnaraja Wadiyar IV. What is the area officially renamed as?

2. As an extension towards the north of Fraser Town, Richards Town was created and named after EJ Richards, the District Magistrate and Collector of the Civil and Military Station who initiated the planning of the layout in a typical European town-planning style. Richards Park laid out in 1905 at the centre of the extension is one of the oldest in the city which still has a restored colonial bandstand which once hosted the best of regimental bands. Name the railway station located in the area. Bangalore Cantonment or Bangalore East railway station?

3. Cox Town was also created in the early 1900s along with the other suburbs of Cantonment to decongest the city after the dreadful plague of 1898 and named after Alexander Ranken Cox, an ICS officer who served as the last Collector and District Magistrate of the C and M Station. Along with Anglo-Indians, a large number of Tamil population who once served the British army as soldiers and domestic servants live in the area. What is Cox Town officially renamed as. Hoysalanagara or Sarvagnanagara?

XPRESS FOCUS

In Pursuit of a Legacy While Elevating Lives

What began as a quest to give due recognition to **K C Reddy**, the first Chief Minister of Karnataka, Assistant Professor **Vasantha Kavitha**, his granddaughter-in-law has come a long way since 2013. With a strong intent to install a bronze statue of the former Chief Minister, Vasantha Kavitha, after regular interaction with the concerned officials and ministers, finally succeeded in getting the much-delayed and awaited bronze statue in December 2022, which was later unveiled by present Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai.

Vasantha Kavitha, who was working as an Assistant Professor in Bengaluru, left the position in 2014 to enter politics with the intention of elevating rural lives but also revive the legacy of KC Reddy. "When I joined politics, hardly a few members knew about Reddy. Reddy was not only the first CM of the state, ruling from 1947 to 1952 and governor of Madhya Pradesh, but also the founder of the Vidhana Soudha, the state legislative Assembly," she says.

But the statue installation has been one among the many achievements for Vasantha Kavitha, according to whom, ethical works, diligence and constant follow-up has resulted in her successes so far apart the inspirations from Gandhiji and KC Reddy, which she has still nurtured. "From the past 18 years, I have been closely associated with women, youth, students and the general public, throughout the state of Karnataka, travelling to many districts and encouraging the farmers to make sure their girls are educated, while creating awareness about the importance of education, promoting science and technology addressing the issues of general public and their grievances too," she mentions.

On behalf of World Book of Records, a Certificate of Excellence was awarded to Sudha Murthy

Certificate of Appreciation awarded to D K Shivakumar for supporting farmers during Covid

Rahul Gandhi was appreciated by World Book of Records for Bharath Jodo Yatra

Even the great grandchildren of K.C Reddy, K.C Samyuktha Reddy and K.C Pradhyumna Reddy are involved in social service

Vasantha Kavitha thanking Chairman of TTD, Y.V Subbha Reddy and TTD EO Dharma Reddy for nominating her to the Board director of SVBC Channel TTD

Last month, Vasantha Kavitha successfully conducted Science Carnival and Exhibition Melas for rural students in Gowribedanur, Chintamani and Pedduru of Chikballapur district. Her mission has also reached schools in Kolar district, Mulbagal, KGF, Malur, and Srinivaspura. "My main areas of focus are children and women rights, development of science and technological education in rural Karnataka and supporting the Covid-19 survivors and workers," she says.

Vasantha Kavitha has also been politically active, being associated with the Congress party since 2012. "In 2018, I was made incharge of the elections in Devarakadra, Telangana and in 2019, I was Congress Incharge for Kolar. I have also participated in all activities of the Congress party to my maximum extent. Currently, I am Coordinator of KPCC Control room. But having participated with utmost loyalty while adhering to my principles, in many of the state and central protests, I believe that I have not been given my due by the party," she notes.

My main areas of focus are children and women rights, development of science and technological education in rural Karnataka and supporting the Covid-19 survivors and workers.

Vasantha Kavitha

ACHIEVEMENTS

- Honoured with **'The Great Daughter of India'** award by Biswabhusan Harichandan, Governor of Andhra Pradesh; authorised by Justice V Gopala Gowda, Former Chief Justice of Orissa & Judge, Supreme Court of India.
- Vasantha Kavitha was part of the India-Woman in Leadership (IWIL) programme in 2012. She successfully completed the course as a part of **IIM- Bangalore** from 1st August 2012 to 31st July 2013.
- She is the Vice President of World Book of Records, Karnataka chapter.
- Vasathan Kavitha is also **Tirupathi Tirumala Devastanam LAC member**, Karnataka and Founder of K.C.Reddy Sarojamma Welfare Foundation. She is also Director of **Sri Venkateswara Bhakthi Channel (SVBC)**
- She has worked with the National Commission for Women, India, on June 20,2020 by taking an official Pledge for Women Rights to protect and promote the rights of all women at all times.
- She has received a certificate of excellence on the recommendation of the World Governing Council of AUGP-USA governors of 120 countries of this university in New York, USA on 10th April 2021, presented by the Chairman his Eminence Sir Prof Dr. Mahhu Krishan, Ph.D (USA). This Institute also awarded her the Human Excellence Golden award for Best social activities.
- She is a member of Sexual women Harassment committee in Vidhana Soudha.
- She initiated rediscovery of Vidhana Soudha Chapter under K.C.Reddy Sarojamma Welfare Foundation.
- She has conducted awareness programmes on Human Rights called Mahileyara Shakthi, along with Karnataka State Human Rights Awareness Committee. She was awarded best **NCC Caretaker of Karnataka** in 2011,

certified by the then Chief Minister, Sadananda Gowda.

- Vasantha Kavitha was acknowledged and awarded for her social work by the National Women's Parliament which was organised by Andhra Pradesh Legislature and government of Andhra Pradesh along with Maeer's MIT school of Government, Pune.
- In 2020, she received certification for being a part of a national webinar programme on Digital communication and youth organised by the Public Relations Council of India – Young Communicators Club.
- She has been recognised to have taken an E-Waste Pledge by the Ministry of Electronics and IT.
- Was part of a national webinar on Analysis of COVID-19 through Social Work Lens, organised by the Dept. of Social Work of Dr. B. R. Ambedkar University Srikakulam, AP.
- The World Book of Records, London, certified Vasantha Kavitha's participation in an event recognising 111 power women in 111 minutes, organised by Lead India Foundation under President De. Hari Krishna Maram.
- She has received a Certificate of Commitment by the **World Book of Records, London** for the dedication and relentless commitment of promoting safety against the pandemic and serving the society.

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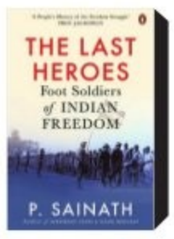
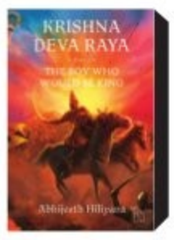


The Last Heroes: Foot Soldiers of Indian Freedom

by P Sainath

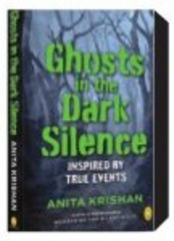
The Last Heroes is a story of foot soldiers of Indian freedom telling us their storieshailing from different regions, languages, atheists and believers, and so on.



Krishna Deva Raya: The Boy who would Be King

by Abhijeeth Hiliyana

The second son of a famed army commander, Tuluva Krishna sees around him a decaying empire assailed by the treachery of vassals and the belligerence of neighbours determined to restore peace and glory.



Ghost in the Dark Silence

by Anita Krishnan

Encased in *Ghosts in the Dark Silence* are five stories that will petrify even the bravest of the brave, some being gruesome and bizarre and softly creep up on you and pull you in.

Gift Me a New Beginning

by Arpit Vageria

Shaurya, a charming eligible bachelor and an orphan who lives in a luxurious house in Mumbai with his grandfather share a unique fate of not being loved as they deserved to be.

WHAT WHEN WHY WHERE

Colours and Dhol

Take a day off from your hectic schedule and shake it off at this Holi party. Be prepared to have an unforgettable experience in namma city.

WHERE: Shegan Bar and Kitchen, Kothanur
WHEN: March 8, 10 am
DETAILS: insider.in

Hidden Treasures

This Women's Day, Courtyard By Marriott encourages women across the city to indulge in a culinary experience. The hotel has curated a special brunch of some delectable dishes.

WHERE: The Hebbal Café, Courtyard By Marriott **WHEN:** March 8
DETAILS: 9606482968

HOLI FEAST

Celebrate Holi just like the one you experienced growing up. Feast at the all-day dining restaurant to reflect the true essence of this traditional Indian spring festival. **WHERE:** Feast, Sheraton Grand Bangalore Hotel, Rajajinagar **WHEN:** March 8, 12.30 pm
DETAILS: 8792493438

Shef of the day

Watch world-renowned women chefs take the centre stage with some mouth watering delicacies in honour of International Women's Day.

WHERE: The Leela Palace, Kodihalli
WHEN: Upto March 8
DETAILS: 8951974424

Special Treat

This Women's day treat yourself to 50% off on a lavish buffet (both lunch & dinner) at Bengaluru's popular barbecue and pirate-themed restaurant.

WHERE: The Black Pearl, Marathahalli
WHEN: March 8
DETAILS: 9880434555

Double Trouble

Dance all night long to your favourite Holi tunes. Terrace by House of Commons presents Holi and Women's Day Bash featuring DJ Zafiq.

WHERE: Terrace by House of Commons, JP Nagar
WHEN: March 8, 8 pm
DETAILS: 7899443516

GLITZY AFFAIR

Actors Ankita Kukreti, Riva Arora and Antara cheer for Punjab de Sher during the Celebrity Cricket League at Chinnaswamy Stadium | VINOD KUMAR T

QUICK FIX

THANDAI

Contributed by **Seema Jhawar**, Nagpur

INGREDIENTS

- **Warm water:** 1 cup
- **Almonds:** 3 tbsp
- **Pistachios:** 2 tbsp
- **White poppy seeds:** 2 tbsp
- **Melon seeds:** 2 tbsp
- **Dried rose petals:** 2 tbsp
- **Whole black peppercorns:** ½ tsp
- **Sugar:** ½ cup
- **Green cardamoms:** 3-4
- **Fennel seeds:** 1 tbsp
- **Saffron:** 15-18 strands
- **Chilled milk:** 1 cup

METHOD

- In a bowl, pour warm water. Then, add almonds, pistachios, white poppy seeds, melon seeds, dried rose petals, fennel seeds, whole black peppercorns. Mix well. Cover and keep aside for 1-2 hours.
- Pour the whole mixture in a grinder and add sugar, cardamom seeds, saffron and grind to a fine paste.
- Take 4 tablespoons of the prepared thandai paste in a glass. Add chilled milk and mix well.

What's cooking in your kitchen?

We are hungry for recipes with minimum ingredients and maximum flavours. Share your quick-fix with us, along with step-by-step photos, at bengalurucityexpress@gmail.com

FIT BIT

KONA PURVOTTANASANA

(UPWARD PLANK POSE FOREARMS)

This is an advanced variation of Purvottanasana (Upward Plank Pose) as it requires greater strength in the core, arms, and shoulders and elbows than the base pose to balance the body on forearms and heels. It is a challenging supine variation.

STEPS

- Start in Dandasana (Staff Pose), with feet straight with toes pointing towards the ceiling and heels close to the floor.
- Close your eyes, stay for a few breaths.
- Inhale, slightly tilt your body back to 40 degrees down and place your elbows down right beneath your shoulders, forearms and palms down with fingertips pointing toward your hips.
- Ensure you are on heels with your legs straight in your knees and big toes turned inward.
- Exhale, press your heels, elbows, and palms down against the floor, and lift your hips until your torso and thighs are approximately parallel to the floor.
- Keep your shoulder blades together, and gadually, drop your head back.
- Squeeze your core and try to pull your belly button back toward your spine. Remain here for about six breaths.
- Without losing balance, slowly lower your hips down to the starting position.
- Relax in Adho Mukha Sukhasana (Easy Pose Forward Bend).

BENEFITS

- Strengthens the neck, arms and shoulders, lower back, and legs.
- Stabilises the pelvis and keeps the hip-joint centered.
- Makes elbow and forearms strong.
- Psoas, pelvic, thigh, and hamstrings muscles become flexible.
- Stimulates Vishuddha (Throat) and Anahata (Heart) Chakras.
- Intercostal muscles are stretched, resulting in opening of the chest cavity.
- Eliminates any blockages from the throat to the lungs.
- Balance the body keeping in mind the alignment of the forearms and the feet.
- Burns fat around the thighs, hips, chest, arms, and abdomen.
- Opens the chest, reducing rounded shoulders, which improves posture.
- Increases energy levels.

LIMITATIONS

People who have injury in the ankles, knees, hips, shoulders, spine, elbows, hamstrings, or ligament in any part of the body, old or new surgery to any part of the body, women during pregnancy and menstruation, should avoid this pose.

By N Elumalai, PhD scholar (Yoga Science) at Meenakshi Academy of Higher Education & Research, Chennai

NOW STREAMING

REGIONAL

COFFEE WITH KADHAL (Tamil)

A family consisting of three brothers and a sister who follow different lifestyles, go through several emotional and jovial situations in their lives.

Cast: Malvika Sharma, Amritha Aiyer
Watch on: ZEE5

THEERPPU (Malayalam)

Four friends reunite after years apart a retort. However, their meeting is filled with surprises and consequences of their past.

Cast: Prithviraj Sukumaran, Hannah Reji Koshy, Isha Talwar
Watch on: Disney+ Hotstar

VEDHA (Kannada)

Vedha and his daughter Kanaka are on a killing spree. They are being chased by a cop Rama, but they always manage to escape in the nick of time.

Cast: Shiva Rajkumar, Ganavi Laxman
Watch on: ZEE5

MUKKUNDAN UNNI ASSOCIATES (Malayalam)

Lawyer Mukundan Unni has dreams of becoming successful and attempts to achieve growth, prosperity, and respect.

Cast: Vineeth Sreenivasan, Suraj Venjaramoodu
Watch on: Disney+ Hotstar

CHUP: REVENGE OF THE ARTIST (Hindi)

A lonesome florist with a new-found love interest and a psychopath killer who targets film critics in Mumbai. Are the two related? Inspector Arvind Mathur and Dr. Zenobia are about to find out.

Cast: Dulquer Salmaan, Shreya Dhanwanthary
Watch on: ZEE5

All the streaming apps can be accessed on smartphones and smart TVs with Internet connection.

DRIVER JAMUNA (Tamil)

Jamuna, a dedicated cab driver, unwittingly picks up a group of goons. Will she be able to outsmart the goons and save the day, or will she become their next victim?

Cast: Aishwarya Rajesh, Aadukalam Naren
Watch on: Aha

RORSCHACH (Malayalam)

When Luke Antony's wife goes missing, he sets off to search for her and stumbles into the Balan family. However, terrorising events start occurring as Luke grows closer to the clan.

Cast: Mammooty, Asif Ali
Watch on: Disney+ Hotstar

FOREIGN

THE MENU (English)

A young couple travels to a remote island to eat at an exclusive restaurant where the chef has prepared a lavish menu, with some shocking surprises.

Cast: Anya Taylor-Joy, Ralph Fiennes
Watch on: Disney+Hotstar

THE IRREGULARS (English, series)

Misfits investigate a series of supernatural crimes in Victorian London for Dr. Watson and his shadowy associate, Sherlock Holmes.

Cast: Thaddea Graham, Royce Pierreson, Harrison Osterfield, Darci Shaw
Watch on: Netflix

FREE REIN (English, series)

A 15-year-old from Los Angeles spends the summer at her mother's childhood home on an island off the coast of England, where she bonds with a mysterious horse.

Cast: Jaylen Barron
Watch on: Netflix

BLACK MONEY LOVE (Turkish, series)

Omar, a police officer, loses his fiancée to a suspicious death. After the shock of her sudden death and the accusations of his love cheating on him, Omar realises that there is more behind her suspicious murder.

Cast: Tuba Büyüküstün, Engin Akyürek
Watch on: Netflix

SUBSCRIPTION

Prime Video:	₹179 per month
Zee5:	₹399 for 3 months
Disney+Hotstar:	₹199 for 3 months
Netflix:	₹149 per month

The dichotomy of pani-puris

SOMETHING happened last week that altered the way I see the world. Admittedly, it might not change the fortunes of the world. The Ukraine-Russia war is still raging, and Pakistan's economy is spiralling further into chaos. IT layoffs continue to shake urban India. But what I discovered last week made me question my life, my choices, and the biases I carry. Last week, I changed my choice of pani-puri. It might not be a giant step for mankind, but it was a huge step for me.

There are two varieties of pani-puris generally available. On one hand, you have the pani-puri served with mashed potato as a filling. Mostly run by North Indian immigrants, the tiny stalls can be found by the sides of popular streets. Like a wise guru dispensing wisdom to his followers, you are required to stand in a circle and wait for your turn. The puri is punctured with a satisfying crunch, and filled with alu. They are then dipped in the water and handed out in clockwise order.

HRIDAY RANJAN
Urban Bourbon

(Writer, comedian)

Then there's the other variant. Mostly sold by local vendors, it is sold in push carts that also offer dahi puri, masala chaat, and samosa chaat. You stand around the cart and watch the chickpea curry boiling on a large, circular pan. The puri is punctured without much fanfare, dipped in the hot curry, then in the spicy water and served to you. For the longest time, my loyalties lay with the alu version of pani puri. Since I spent a significant part of my life in the eastern parts of the country, I was indoctrinated to believe that the alu version was the real pani puri. I held on to my purist's approach to pani puri – like Bishen Singh Bedi cribbing about T20 matches in 2008.

But as life caught on with me, I began to notice a few drawbacks in the alu version. The waiting period, while you stand and watch everybody else eat their puris, would get to me. I also realised how much the alu version of pani-puri depended on the alu curry. It required precision, and even a minor miscalculation could ruin the formula. A pinch of extra salt, or a rogue piece of chilly could set your tongue on fire. Tired of waiting in line last week, I walked over to the pani-puri stall. 'How bad can it be?' I reasoned with myself. What I experienced shook my insides!

At my age, very few things shock me. Wars, pandemics and losses in the World Cup finals do not faze me anymore. But I was unprepared for the gastronomical fiesta that began inside me. The flavours were all popping in my mouth, taking turns to shine. If the alu version was an artistic French film, the chana version felt like a Manmohan Desai movie. You could customise any part of the flavour – salt, masala, or crunchy sev. You did not have to wait for the earth to complete another round around the sun before you got the next piece. And here was the true deal-clincher – the onions were unlimited!

I walked back home questioning myself. I like to believe I am a rational person. I have tried not to let my biases colour my opinions. I have believed in finding my truths myself, and placing emphasis on experience, rather than blind beliefs. But here I was, having discovered that I've been having the wrong kind of pani-puri for decades at stretch. It's a thought I'd like to leave you with, dear reader. Life is complex and complicated. But pani-puri is one of life's true great joys. Make sure you're not eating the wrong pani-puri in life!

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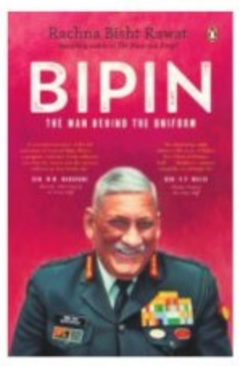

Book on India's first Chief of Defence Staff releasing soon

On the morning of December 8, 2021, India's Chief of Defence Staff, General Bipin Rawat, his wife, Madhulika and 12 other military personnel were killed in a helicopter crash near Coonoor in Tamil Nadu. A book chronicling the life of General Bipin Rawat, India's first Chief of Defence Staff, will release on his 66th birth anniversary on March 16. The biography is reconstructed from interviews with General Rawat's closest family members and friends. Behind the uniform stood a General Rawat, who was he? How was his early life? The book attempts to answer a number of topics, including what motivated him to rise to the position of being the nation's top military official.

ONCE-A-YEAR WONDER

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(The author is a technologist based in Silicon Valley who is gently mad about books)

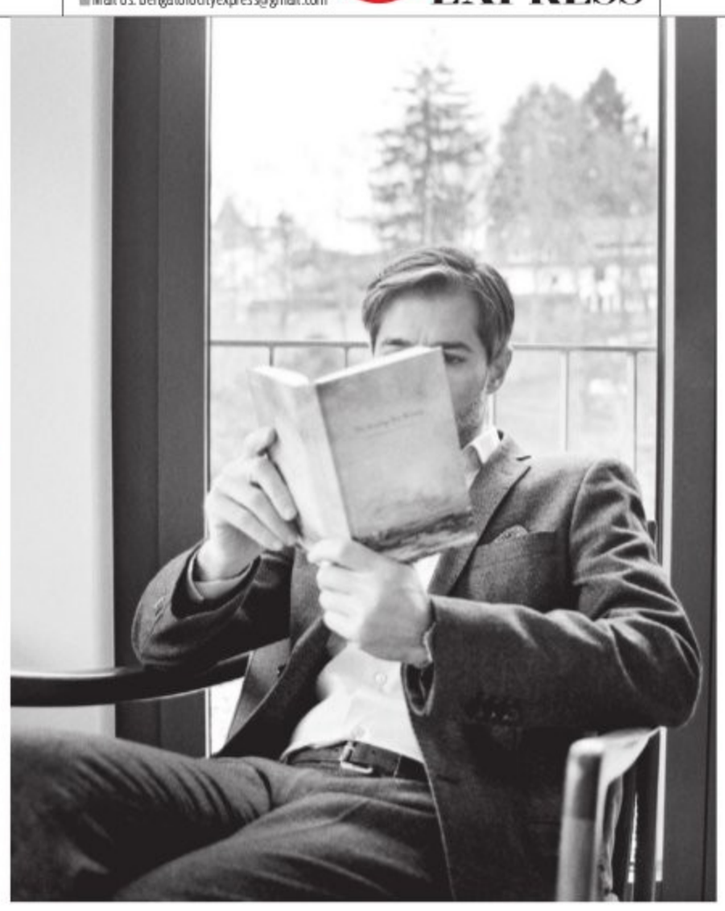
ANALOG Sea is a publisher that releases just one book a year, sells uniquely through independent bookstores, prints only hardback editions, and communicates with its readers through snail-mail. Whether this is a viable business model or not is beside the point: Analog Sea is above all about principles, not profit, and its mission to promote 'the human right to disconnect'.

Based in Freiburg, Germany, and Austin, Texas, Analog Sea sells its literary journal, *The Analog Sea Review*, through over two hundred and fifty independent bookstores, most in the United States and Europe. Its website has only one simple page displaying a postal address (no phone number, email address, or social media handles) and you cannot buy their books from corporate online retailers. A check sent to the publisher with a request for a copy will be politely returned with an encouragement for the reader to head to their nearest independent bookstore.

In fact, it was in my local bookstore, Kepler's in Menlo Park, California, that I first encountered *The Analog Sea Review*. I picked up a copy of the third edition, and everything about it felt just right—its beautiful cover art by painter Joseph-Antoine d'Ornano, its pocket-friendly size, its hardcover binding, the quality of its paper, and its smell.

VR Ferose and Jonathan Simons

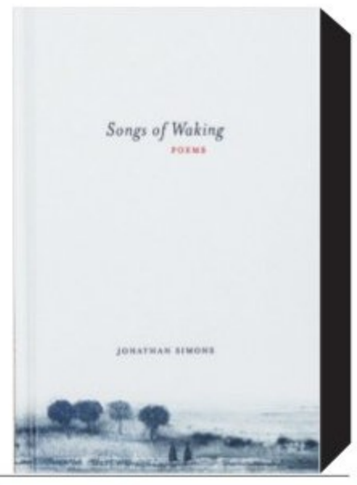
I later met Jonathan Simons, founding-editor of Analog Sea, in Walldorf, Germany. A dreamer and an idealist to a fault, Jonathan was born in the US but has lived and studied in six countries. He was once an academic of Buddhism and a touring musician, but now he runs an offline publishing house in an increasingly digital age. When I met him, he was also visiting scholar at the Max Planck Institute for Human Development, Center for Humans and Machines, Berlin. Chatting with him over dinner, I felt a meeting of minds in our common vision and desire for a more human-centric world.



We live in a world of digital pervasiveness, always connected, endless entertainment and stimulation only ever a quick tap away. At a time when AI is becoming the new electricity, we need reminding that we were equally in awe of social media during its heyda – until we realised that democracy was at stake. While we should of course celebrate the success and value of shiny new AI tools, we must also look critically at the challenges these present and the harm they can do. Jonathan jokes, half seriously, that future editions of *The Analog Sea Review* will need to include a note: "ChatGPT was not used in this publication."

When I asked Jonathan what gave him hope, his response was, "If digital takes over every part of our lives, an analog life is what we will yearn for." When there is no room for idleness, where every moment is filled with 'pixelated madness' and we lose our ability to imagine and wonder, he argues, we will crave the physical spaces where 'humans look other humans in the eye, where civil dialogue and undivided attention are privileged, where thoughts and imagination have space to meander and roam'. Hence, we must decide today, for ourselves and for our communities, which parts of our lives and culture to preserve – by keeping them offline. As he mentions in the opening lines of the latest volume of *The Analog Sea Review*, 'The question is no longer whether our future is digital but to what degree we want it to remain human'.

Every day, Analog Sea receives around twenty letters by post from readers. Not a lot, but not a small number either. It proves that in just five years, Jonathan and his colleagues have moved the needle away from the robots towards the human, even if only by a tad. A desire for a deep connection with the natural and physical world still exists, and organizations like Analog Sea certainly help to nurture it.



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PUBLIC NOTICE
CHANGE OF NAME

CHANGE OF NAME
I, Smt **K G VIJAYA LAKSHMI** W/O **No. 14614863A Ex-Sepoy late M S Kantha Raju,** presently residing at MIG 24, KHB Colony, Mysore Road, Kanakapura, Post & Tehsil - Kanakapura, Dist - Ramanagar, Karnataka have changed my name from **K G VIJAYA LAKSHMI** to **VIJAYALAKSHMI K G** vide Affidavit dated 04/03/2023 before Samuel Solomon, Advocate & Notary, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **(OLD NAME) PRAVEENA KUMARI** spouse of NO 15332208F HAV PRAVEEN KUMAR, Residing at Ngalanarayan (Vill), Vihar (Post), Saddar (TK), Farrukha Bad (Dist), UTTAR PRADESH (State), PIN:209625,Have Changed My Name to **(NEW NAME) PRAVEENA** Vide Affidavit Dated 13.02.2023 Sworn Before Notary MEER HASSAN BANGALORE.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **AYMAN.,** R/at No.33/6 Emaara The Residencies Robertson Road Frazer Town Bengaluru-560005, have changed my name to **AYMAN FARAH** Vide affidavit dated: 6/3/2023 Before Notary **Mir Zia Ulla** Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **VIJAYAMARY RAO** R/at No. 634, Sobha Dewflower Apts, 4th Cross, Sarakki Main Road, J P Nagar, 1st Phase, Bengaluru- 560078, have changed my name to **VIJAYAMARY RAO TALAM** vide affidavit dated: 6/3/2023 Before Notary **Sivakumara M.N** Bangalore.

AFFIDAVIT
I, **MOHAMMED SINDHA SAFIK** S/o. Sri. Nija Mudeen, Aged about 40 years, Residing at No. 46, Regina Cottage, Near Manjunath Lay-out, Ramamurthy Nagar, Doorvaninagar Post, Bangalore - 560 016, do hereby declare that I have convert my religion from **Mohammedan** to **Roman Catholic (Christianity).** Vide affidavit dated 07.03.223 sworn to before Ravi Kumar .V, Advocate & Notary Public, Govt. of India, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **SANTOSH DATTA NAIK,** aged about 49 years, S/o Datta, R/at #31, Kamadhenu, MMG Layout, Near BEML Layout, Rajarajeshwari Nagara, Mysore-570022, Karnataka State, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **SANTOSH NAIK** to **SANTOSH DATTA NAIK,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **SANTOSH DATTA NAIK** only, vide affidavit dated 02-03-2023, sworn before Advocate and Notary **L.B. ANASUYAMMA** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, Smt. YASHODA.C, aged about 38 years, W/o Sri. Suresh, R/at No.91, 2nd Cross, Bajane Mane Road, B.Channasandra, Banasawadi Post, Bangalore-43.
I have change my daughter name form **"Vaishnavi"** to **"S. Kavana"** Vide affidavite dated: 06-06-2014 Notary before **T.V.Chandrashekar Reddy** advocate & Notary at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, SERVICE NO 15321878H HAV RAMA MURTHY REDDY of unit:422 FD COY, 2 ENGR REGT, C/O 56 APO, PIN:914002, Have Changed My Son Name **(OLD NAME) R.YASWANTH** to **(NEW NAME) REDDY YASWANTH** Vide Affidavit Dated 06.03.2023 Sworn Before Notary BANGALORE.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **KOMALAM P. (Komalam Pankajakshi)** R/at No.18 Guna Sankarappa Layout, Oil Mill Road, Sait Palya, Kacharakanahalli, Bangalore-560084, have changed my name to **KOMALAM P. STANLEY (KOMALAM PANKAJAKSHI STANLEY)** Vide affidavit dated: 7/3/2023 Before Notary **Mir Zia Ulla** Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **KUSUMA A,** vide **Passport No. V4042062,** Date of Birth: 14.05.1994, D/o. Mr. Appaji Rao A and Mrs. Padmavati R, W/o. Mr. Yesu Francis, Presently Residing at House No. 723, 10th Main, 9th Block, Nagarbhavi 2nd Stage, Bangalore - 560 072, Karnataka, India, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **NIDA FATHIMA** to **KUSUMA A** vide affidavit dated 6.3.2023 sworn to before K.V. Jagannath Reddy, Advocate & Notary Public, Govt. of India, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **Mr. VENKATESHA K.R., aged about 48 years, S/o Ramesh Bhat K, residing at No.589, 12th Cross, 1st Stage, 1st Phase, Near Siddaganga Public School, Chandra Layout, Bangalore - 560 072,** have changed my minor daughter's name from **DISHA to DISHA BHAT** vide affidavit dated 04-03-2023 sworn before Onkarappa .N.R. Advocate & Notary, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **ASHA .N,** aged about 51 years, W/o Rajendra K and D/o Narayan Gowda, R/at #65, 2nd Floor, East Facing, Krishnappa Layout, Nagashettyhalli, Sanjaynagar, Bengaluru-560094, Karnataka State, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **ASHA** to **ASHA .N,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **ASHA .N** only, vide affidavit dated 04-03-2023, sworn before Advocate and Notary **L.B. ANASUYAMMA** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I hitherto known as SEEMA CHOPRA alias SEEMA Wife of Ranjender Kumar Jain resident of No.380.3rd floor,Kamakshi Kourts,13th cross,Above Punjab National Bank,Sadashivanagar Bangalore, Karanataka-560080.have changed my name and shall hereafter be known as **SEEMA JAIN** for all purposes. Vide Affidavit dated 07.03.2023 before Notary Chandrakala, Bengaluru

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **(OLD NAME) MERLIN USHA.S** Spouse Of NO JC-313473W NB/SUB SOOSAI MARIAN. A, Residing at 12-10/1, Nedumparai Kattu Villai, Valavacha Gostam(vill), Mulagumoodu(post), Kalkulam(TK), Kanyakumari(Dist), TAMIL NADU(State), PIN:629167,, Have Changed My Name to **(NEW NAME) M.MERLIN USHA** Vide Affidavit Dated 06.03.2023 Sworn Before Notary MEER HASSAN BANGALORE.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, CHITRA CARIAPPA (DOB 12-12-1952) W/o. No. IC-13532Y Rank: Brigadier Name: M.M.A. CARIAPPA R/a#134/1, Defence Colony, 4th Main Road, 4th Cross, Indira Nagar, Bengaluru-560038 Have Changed My Name to MUCKATIRA CHITRA CARIAPPA vide Affidavit Dated 13-02-2023 Sworn Before Notary D.C.Ravindra, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **MARULASIDDA SWAMY H. N.** S/o Hirematha Shadakshara Shastri Nanjundaswamy, Age 38 Years, presently R/at No. 49, 3rd Cross, Panchamukhi Enclave, Immadihalli, Whitefield, Bengaluru - 560066, have changed my name from **MARALUSIDDA SWAMY** to **MARULASIDDA SWAMY H. N.** vide affidavit dated 07.03.2023. sworn before Advocate & Notary Veena .K, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **JAMBAVAN JOTHI KAMALESHWAR, Aged about 42 Years, S/o. Ganesh Rao J, resident of House No. 1256, 1E Main 8B Cross, Girinagar, Banashankari 3rd Stage, Bangalore 560085** have changed my name to **JOTHI KAMALESHWAR** for all future purpose vide affidavit dated 07.03.2023 sworn to before advocate and Notary Ganesh Gowda MV, Bangalore

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **DIMPPLE JAIN,** W/o Ankkit Jain, age 36 years, R/o NO. 1902, 2nd Floor, 11th Cross, Behind New Cambridge School, RPC Layout, Vijayanagar, Bangalore-560 040 do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **DIMPLE KUMARI JAIN** to **DIMPPLE JAIN,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **DIMPPLE JAIN** only for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 6-3-2023, sworn before Advocate and Notary **R.S. HEMANTH KUMAR** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I hitherto known as SEEMA KUMARI alias SEEMA daughter PRAKASH CHAND and Wife of Ranjender Kumar Jain resident of No.380.3rd floor,Kamakshi Kourts,13th cross, Above Punjab national Bank, Sadashivanagar Bangalore, Karanataka- 560080.have changed my name and shall hereafter be known as **SEEMA JAIN** for all purposes. Vide Affidavit dated 07.03.2023 before Notary Chandrakala, Bengaluru

CHANGE OF NAME
I, SERVICE NO JC-313473W NB/SUB SOOSAI MARIAN. A, of unit: RHQ CAMP, 2 ENGR REGT, C/O 56 APO, PIN:914002, Have Changed My Daughter Name **(OLD NAME) S.RIYANA RUDHASI** to **(NEW NAME) RIYANA RUPHASI.S** And Daughter Name **(OLD NAME) S.AZEENA RUPHASI** to **(NEW NAME) AZEENA RUPHASI.S**Vide Affidavit Dated 06.03.2023 Sworn Before Notary MEER HASSAN BANGALORE.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **LOHITH HOIGE BAZZAR** R/at No. 21-4-456/2 Madhava Nayak Compound Hoige Bazar Mangaluru Dakshina Kannada -575001 have changed my name to **LOHITH HOIGE BAZAR** vide affidavit dated: 7/3/2023 Before Notary **B.M.Chandrashekar** Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **SMT. SHRUTI VINAY BIRADARPATIL,** Daughter of Mr. Gangappa and Wife of Mr. Vinay Biradarpatil, aged 34 years, presently residing at No. 49/35, 6th Cross, Venkatapura, Koramangala 1st Block, Bangalore - 560 034, do hereby declare that **SHRUTI HITTALAMANI** and **SMT. SHRUTI VINAY BIRADARPATIL** is the name one and the same person and that is my self. Herein after my name would be called **SMT. SHRUTI VINAY BIRADARPATIL** in future. Vide affidavit dated 7.3.2023 sworn to before A.S. Narayana Reddy, Advocate & Notary, Govt. of India, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **RACHANA SUBRAYA KAMATH, aged about 32 years, D/o. Subraya Kamath, residing at # 001, Ground Floor, Dream Palace Apartment, Opp. Food Point, Raghav Nagar, Hubli, Keshwapur, Dharwad-580023, declared that the names RACHANA S KAMATH and RACHANA SUBRAYA KAMATH** belongs to me only, and both name belongs to one and the same person. Vide affidavit dt. 06-03-2023 before Advocate and Notary H.G. Venkataramu, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **KIRAN .S,** R/at No. 205, Arnu Nivas, Church Road, New Thippasandra, Bangalore-560075, do hereby declare that I have changed my son's name from **K.K. ARYAN** to **ARYAN K,** henceforth he shall be known and called as **ARYAN K** only, vide affidavit dated 07-03-2023, sworn before Advocate and Notary **P.N. NAGESHA** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **(OLD NAME) R. SRAVANI** spouse of NO 15321878H HAV RAMA MURTHY REDDY, Residing at BC colony, Tangudubilli (vill & post), Nellimarla (MD), Vizianagaram(Dist), ANDHRA PRADESH (state), PIN:535218, Have Changed My Name to **(NEW NAME) REDDY SRAVANI** Vide Affidavit Dated 06.03.2023 Sworn Before Notary MEER HASSAN BANGALORE.

CHANGE OF NAME
I,SERVICE NO 16111656M NK (L) VIVEKANANDA REDDY RAJULA of unit: RHQ CAMP, 18 ENGR REGT C/O 56 APO, PIN: 914018, Have Changed My Daughter Name **(OLD NAME) GURU KARTHIKA** to **(NEW NAME) RAJULA GURU KARTHIKA** Vide Affidavit Dated 03.03.2023 Sworn Before Notary MEER HASSAN BANGALORE.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **PAVITRA BASLINGAYYA HIREMATH** aged about 27 Years, R/at No.962/A, Rudraksha,17th Cross, Srigandhakavalu, D Group Layout, Nagarabhavi, Bangalore- 560091, have changed my name to **PAVITRA CHETAN** vide affidavit dated: 7/3/2023 Before Notary **L.Shankaranarayana** Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **Mrs. ABHA SUBBA RAO, W/o. PROTEEP CHANDRA VASU MALLIK,** resident of No. 12, Meadow Dodda Bele Road, Good Earth Orchard, Lakshmipura, Kengeri, Bangalore - 560 060, do hereby declare that I have changed my minor daughter's name from **ASAWARI** to **ASAVARI RAO VASU MALLIK** vide affidavit dated 06.03.2023 sworn to before K.V. Mani, Advocate & Notary, Govt. of India, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **DHANALAXMI SHETTY,** D/o Narasimha Shetty, aged about 42 years, R/at No. 2-33B, Bymkodalu House, Haguli Temple Road, Idurkunhadi, Udupi-576233 is now at Bangalore, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **DHANALAXMI** to **DHANALAXMI SHETTY,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **DHANALAXMI SHETTY** only, vide affidavit dated 06-03-2023 sworn before Advocate and Notary **T.C. Thimmaraja** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **H.R. NAGARAJA SHARMA,** S/o Ramashastri Havenahalli, aged about 71 years, R/at No. 11148, Prestige Song of the South, Begur-Koppa Road, Yelenahalli, Bengaluru South, Bengaluru-560068, Karnataka, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **H.R. NAGARAJ SHARMA** to **H.R. NAGARAJA SHARMA,** henceforth I shall be known and called **H.R. NAGARAJA SHARMA** only, vide affidavit dated 07-03-2023, sworn before Advocate and Notary **GANGARAJU .B.N** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **(OLD NAME) R. SUNEETHA** Spouse NO 16111656M NK (L) VIVEKANANDA REDDY RAJULA Residing at # 4/44, Kuppaguttapalli (Vill), Peddajutur (Post), Pullivendula (TK), YSR District, Kadapa (Dist), ANDHRA PRADESH (State), PIN: 516390, Have Changed My Name to **(NEW NAME) RAJULA SUNEETHA** Vide Affidavit Dated 03.03.2023 Sworn Before Notary MEER HASSAN BANGALORE.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, SERVICE NO 16113255W SPR PRAKASH BABAR of unit:'Y' COY TRG BN-III, MEG&CENTRE, BANGALORE, 560033, Have Changed My Father Name **(OLD NAME) VASUDEV** to **(NEW NAME) VASUDEV SAKHARAM BABAR** And Mother Name **(OLD NAME) ADIKA ENDABAI** to **(NEW NAME) INDABAI VASUDEV BABAR** Vide Affidavit Dated 04.03.2023 Sworn Before Notary MEER HASSAN BANGALORE.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **SHWETA SAMANT** W/o **Puneet Chaturbhuj Samant** R/at No.901, 9th Floor, Esteem Classic Apartment, No.147/A, Near Iscon Temple, Rajajinagar, Bangalore- 560022, have changed my name to **SHWETA CHELLARAM** vide affidavit dated: 7/3/2023 Before Notary **K.V.Mani** Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **RADHIKA V PADAKI,** Aged about 35 years, W/o. Vaibhav Padaki, Plot No. 95, "Anant Laxmi", Shivagiri 3rd Main, 9th Cross, Manjunath Colony, Dharwad - 580 007, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **RADHIKA R GAMANAGATTI** to **RADHIKA V PADAKI** vide affidavit dated 06.03.2023 sworn to before K.V. Mani, Advocate & Notary, Govt. of India, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **Mr. MARK CHARLESTION PETERS,** aged 27 years, S/o Late Mr. Kevin Peters, R/at No. 20, 2nd Main, 6th cross, Kanterava Nagar, Nandhini Layout, Bengaluru-560096, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **Mr. MARK PETERS** to **Mr. MARK CHARLESTION PETERS,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **Mr. MARK CHARLESTION PETERS** only, vide affidavit dated 03-03-2023, sworn before Advocate and Notary **R.S. VIJAY** at Bangalore.

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Kiran Srinivas turns villain for Kireeti Reddy's *Junior*

The anchor-actor, who has been juggling between Kannada and Hindi films, will be playing the antagonist in Radhakrishna's directorial

Kiran Srinivas

A SAHRADHAA

KIRAN Srinivas, who gained the limelight with Preetham Gubbi's *Haage Summane*, later juggled a handful of films between Kannada and Hindi. He is a part of couple of web series and got busy as an anchor for a sports channel.

Now, the actor, who has completed a decade in his cinema is back to doing Kannada films, and he has a sci-fi film, *Mandala* releasing this week. Meanwhile, Krian, who is often seen as a protagonist is all set to make a transition by playing a villain in his next. The *Niruttara* actor will be seen in a negative role in Radhakrishna's upcoming film, *Junior* and will face-off with debutant Kireeti Reddy, who is the son of poltician, Janardhan Reddy

The film is currently on floors, and Kiran Srinivas shooting for it. It features Sreeleela as the female lead and has top actors like Ravichandran, and Kushboo along with Genelia Deshmukh playing pivotal roles.

Backed by Sai Korrapati's Vaaraahi Chalana Chitram banner, *Junior* has noted technicians like Baahubali cinematographer Senthil Kumar, composer Devi Sri Prasad, and stunt choreographer Peter Hein.

KICHCHA SUDEEP'S NEXT TO BE HELMED BY DEBUTANT DIRECTOR?

Speculation is that the multilingual actor will be collaborating with producer Kalaipuli S Thanu for a project, which is likely to begin in April

CE FEATURES

EVEN seven months after the release of *Vikrant Rona*, Kichcha Sudeep hasn't signed his next. The multilingual actor got busy with the reality show, *Bigg Boss*, and later took time off for Celebrity Cricket League and KCC. On the film front, there has been a lot of speculation around Sudeep's next, and here is a little update for all Kichcha fans. According to a source close to the actor, he is likely to return to working in films in April.

While there has been a buzz about Sudeep collaborating with Kabali producer, Kalaipuli S Thanu, we now hear that the actor has given his go-ahead to debutant director Vijay. The film will be a Kannada-Tamil bilingual, and an official confirmation about the collaboration is set to be out soon.

This apart, Sudeep has also confirmed joining hands with Vikrant Rona director Anup Bhandari for a grand project, which is currently in the pre-production stage, and is likely to go on floors later this year. Meanwhile, Sudeep will be seen in R Chandru's *Kabzaa*, starring Upendra, which is all set to hit the theatres on March 17

Sudeep

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I didn't expect to receive this much of love in the Kannada language: *Mansore*

CRITICAL acclaim director, Manosre has once again delivered a hit with his latest Kannada film, *19.20.21*. The hard-hitting tale on human rights violations released on March 3 has been garnering accolades from all over.

An over-whelmed Mansore says,"I didn't expect that this kind of grounded film to receive this much love in the Kannada language. Our entire team is happy," he says. He further states,"*19.20.21* is a realistic take on human values in in Kannada after a while. It's a story of a small community of people whose fight for fundamental rights, and their courage that inspires every citizen of India. It is a content, which has to be watched by the masses who don't know about our constitution and fundamental rights. They almost forgot that they have the right to question the ruling government for their basic needs. Our movie will educate those people about their rights and at the same time it is a thrilling experience."

19.20.21 presented by Aagaaz Entertainment has director Mansore and producer Devaraj R collaborating for the second time and stars Shrunga B V, Balaji Manohar, M D Pallavi, Rajesh Nataranga, Avinash, Mahadev Hadapad and Venkatesh Prasad in key roles.

"The film will make the audience experience something they haven't seen or heard in their life. They will get to know the worth of a common man, the strongest support they have in our constitution and how the constitution can protect a common man," shares Mansore.

KARTIK BHARDWAJ

Getting sworn at by Venkatesh on screen felt a bit strange: Rana Daggubatti

Suparn Verma

The actor will lock horns with his uncle in Netflix's upcoming crime thriller *Rana Naidu*

A still from the film

ON a Monday morning, I sit with the team of Netflix's upcoming crime thriller series Rana Naidu. My interviewees: creator and director Karan Anshuman, co-director Suparn Verma and the series' namesake and lead Rana Daggubatti. It might be the skipped breakfast that made me open with a chicken-or-egg question.

"So, what came first? Casting Rana Daggubatti or naming the show *Rana Naidu*?"

Karan takes one for the team. "We really wanted a powerful name in the title," he says. "You know, something that evokes a sort of image, power, panache…" "Do you want an honest answer?" interrupts Suparn. "It was in his contract. He insisted that we name the character Rana."

"What rubbish," Daggubatti laughs it off. "For a long time, I thought it was going to be a working title. It has happened to me before that my character is named Rana initially and eventually becomes Shiva or something like that but then the name just kind of stuck around."

Shakespeare wrote, "What's in a name? That which we call a rose by any other name would smell as sweet." Although Rana Naidu is anything but that. In the series, Daggubatti plays a "fixer for the stars." His job profile includes making sure an actor is on the sets after a night of cocaine-laced revelry, rescuing a cricketer from a prostitute situation and spying on a producer's young girlfriend. Things aren't easy back home either. Rana Naidu's relationship with his wife Naina (Surveen Chawla) is strained, his elder brother Tej (Sushant Singh) suffers from Parkinson's and younger Jaffa (Abhishek Banerjee) is recuperating from a sexual assault. On top of that, his father, Naga Naidu (Venkatesh Daggubatti), who Rana hates, has been released from prison earlier than expected and is trying to make amends with the family.

Venkatesh is known for his sweet, chocolate-boy image on screen. His Hindi debut Anari (1993) showed him as this benign simpleton, romancing Karishma Kapoor. Cut to 30 years later, in *Rana Naidu* he is dancing with prostitutes and shouting expletives at his reel-life son and real-life nephew. The show is adapted from the Live Schreiber starrer American series Ray Donovan.

"When I told my father (producer D Suresh Babu) and Venky uncle that I will be doing Ray Donovan's Indian adaptation, they both sat one evening and started watching the series," says Daggubatti. "Later, dad came up to me and said, 'There are only bad people in this, nobody becomes good.' I was like, 'Yeah..' Then one morning, uncle came for breakfast and asked 'Who is playing your father in the series? I will do it.'

"I guess he was waiting for this role all his life," says Suparn. But it doesn't seem easy to work with a relative, especially when you have to abuse each other on screen. "He (Venkatesh) kept calling me Rana while swearing at me and I was like 'ehhh'. It was hitting some other note in me," says Daggubatti. This reminds Suparn of an anecdote. "It was the first scene between Rana and Venkatesh. He is going to face his uncle for the first time in front of the camera. Rana says 'give me a minute'. He goes to his vanity van and takes a deep breath. Then comes back and stares into his uncle's eyes. The scene begins. Venky takes out a lighted candle, blows it and says 'Take this and shove it up you're a**.'"

"At the end of the day, Rana returns home and his father asks 'How was your day?' Good, good.' He answers."

Karan Anshuman

NAMRATA JOSHI

FACING HIS PAST

Film: **Mutt**

CINEMA WITHOUT BORDERS

In this weekly column, the writer introduces you to powerful cinema from across the world

OF the many life hacks, a common one is about not looking back, living in the moment and moving the only way possible: ahead, forward, and into the future. But even though you might move on, does the past ever let go of you? Can you truly set yourself free of what you once were? Isn't the idea of who you are today and what you could become tomorrow rooted in your yesterday? Vuk Lungulov-Klotz's debut feature, *Mutt*, grapples with these questions in a compassionate, affecting and relatable way while underscoring life as a constant negotiation, an ongoing journey back and forth in time.

Set in the bustling New York City, it spans the course of 24 hours in the life of Fena (Lio Mehiel) as his forsaken past comes calling. He has altered the course of life entirely, having moved on from being Fernanda to becoming Fena. But three people and relationships that he had almost left behind are thrust back at him, forcing him to manage them, and his own self, anew.

At one level, the film deals with the complexities of transitioning. The finer details and nuances of Fena's everyday life also reflect our broader human struggles for getting accepted for who we are. It's about a common pursuit of bonding with others and having a shared sense of belonging while holding on to who we essentially are. And that is never easy.

The young filmmaker's triumph is in keeping things beautifully regular. There is no heightened drama, sensationalism or sentimentality in the world he creates. The film moves on to normal, lifelike conversations, arguments and fights between people who are reconnecting after a long time. The three meetings also lend a defining structure to the film. A night encounter with the boyfriend is followed by a day-long rendezvous with the sister, leading on to a late evening and wee hours catching up with the father. All fit in Fena's 24-hour routine, all marked with a distinct sense of "weirdness", a simultaneous awkwardness and ease, distance and intimacy. All three people have unresolved grudges against Fena and are nursing old, festering wounds. The sister mistakenly assumes that Fena walked out on her, and left her stranded to be at the receiving end of the whims of a mercurial mother. The boyfriend and father, like most people, don't allow and accept change and hold Fena in a freeze frame. All are ignorant about what Fena really wants, the physical and mental transformation in him.

Right from the very first sequence and the distant shot of Fena's troubled face amid friends, Mehiel internalises his contradictions and carries the weight of his predicaments in his physical presence. It's a remarkably heartfelt and fierce performance that encompasses the pain and scars of making a life-altering decision.

Fena's identity question gets doubly weighty with the added multi-racial dimension, of his roots being in Chile. Incidentally, filmmaker Lungulov-Klotz is himself a trans person of Chilean-Serbian origin who grew up in Chile, Serbia, and New York. Chile, as pointed out in his film, is where the gender roles are clearly segregated—men have responsibilities, women apparently don't—yet the country offers his protagonist a lovely gender-neutral name—Fena—to opt for.

According to Lungulov-Klotz, Mutt is about this 'in-betweenness'. "It's a film about being caught between two worlds, whether that's race, gender, nationality or sexuality," he says.

Mutt did not quite have an auspicious start at the Sundance Film Festival with the jury having to walk out of the world premiere screening because of a malfunction in the open captions. But the "US Dramatic Special Jury Award: Acting", presented to Mehiel, and the Special Mention thereafter in Generation 14Plus category in Berlinale have catapulted it into the best of 2023 list. And the film's journey has only just begun.